

this dress for you!

YELLOW JACKET '86

Cindy,

Hey! you are a very special friend to me. I'm so glad we became friends. I know it was hard for you at first but you seem to fit in quick and easy. I hope our friendship continues to grow. I'm glad you've been there for me sometimes when I needed a shoulder to cry on. Yours was a good one. Remember our double dates. Boy, it was a blast! Especially when I got nailed dancing in my car making fun of Burk! Good luck in the future with everything you do. Good luck at Auburn to.

ORAP Cream Fadets

let's activate! I wish Seniors

you the best at Auburn. '87

I wish we were going together we would have so much fun! whatever happens to both of us, let's stay in touch somehow! You're a friend I can't afford to lose!

Cindy,

You are the absolutely nicest person I have ever known. On days when I felt bad, you cheered me up by acting crazy. You are a very special friend to me, and we never forget you. How can I? One day you'll be head majorette & then be Drum Major at Auburn, so we'll always see each other! I'm looking forward to the frat parties & all other stuff at Auburn. Don't ever forget me, because I'll never forget you! Love,

Kim

Bitter

Seniors,  
'87

I know we are destined  
to be friends. I enjoy talking  
to you, you are such a great  
person. I hope things go well for you  
this year and I am the future,  
good luck!!

How ya  
Bocout

Seniors  
'87

Cindy, I have really enjoyed having  
you as a roommate for your  
year. You've been a good friend  
to me and I'll always appreciate  
your, and if we go to the same  
college I bet we get in the same  
math class (that would be great)

Dare I still  
call you?

P.S. War Dawn Eagle!

Cindy, you are a very sweet  
and wonderful person that  
I have enjoyed knowing. Stay  
sweet and I wish you best luck  
in the future

Nore  
Jew

Hey Baby,  
well we kinda made  
a hole year in the same  
class. I have always thought  
you should get every  
out of live you should  
and don't settle for  
anything less than the  
best. Good luck with  
everything in life.

P.S. hope to see you  
on the field at  
Auburn.

Love R.  
Burke

Cindys know  
I don't know  
how to begin I  
have known you  
longer than anyone else  
here, and I am so glad  
you carry to Oxford. I'm  
really sorry for everything that has  
happened between us (I think we know  
what I'm talking about). After everything  
I still consider you a good friend.  
Love ya  
Janine #1

Seniors  
#1

Cont  
Home  
Club

majorettes  
golden girls  
#1

And we have known each other for  
just years and it seems we have  
drifted apart. Maybe because we have  
other things going on or we just  
haven't taken the time to do anything.  
You are a very sweet girl that I will  
always have in your crash at  
least until I forget me broken ~~and~~ <sup>and</sup> at  
last fling up all those ~~beautiful~~  
fishes and ~~gold~~ <sup>gold</sup> ~~bless~~ <sup>bless</sup> ~~you want~~  
I hope you get everything you want /  
will partly naked  
if let ~~she~~ happen  
in P.C. 87.

Lindy Stewart

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served C.P.

Cindy<sup>3</sup>

I'm sorry it has taken me so long to sign your annual!! Don't think I have forgotten about you, because I haven't!!! I really don't know where to begin, but I know you have been the greatest friend I could ever have. And I'm gonna miss you when you leave. It will be hard to adjust to it, because you'll be missing in my life! But you better keep in touch with me, and I know I'll be coming to see you in Auburn! Cindy, I LOVE you so much, words can't describe how much you mean to me! I wished we were only closer, but I know we have Boys in our lives now, & you know how they are! I will never forget you & your sweet smile, that always comfort me when I was feeling down. The smile that always made me laugh. But when you're gone, that smile will always be in my heart & in my mind wherever ever I go. And I will cherish it forever!! But don't ever forget the times we had together! We had so much fun, did we not? But that's all gone now, only memories we can look back on. Just think we've got a life time of memories to go, & we're gonna make those the best!! Please don't ever forget me, & just remember, I'll always be here if you need me. I have a great shoulder to cry on. Your like a sister I never had, cause I did have one. And if I had of known her, I would want her to be just like you!!!! Kind & sweet, always there if you needed her! But — I can't believe it's almost over, all the times, the friendships, the heart aches & all the gossiping! (Boy can we gossip!!) But remember me always!, & go get 'em tiger! But I know you'll have no problem, you gorgeous thing! I'll be thinking about you, . . . . . ALWAYS!!!!

P.S. Here's my #, if you forget!  
831-8411

I love you! Gina

P.C.  
Here we come!

Reserved

Cindy  
 You are a great  
 person and a wonderful  
 person maybe we'll see you next  
 year we've been the miss for next  
 year and we hope to see you again, will watch  
 you go.  
 Good luck to you  
 See you later.

Cindy,

Well, this is the last time  
 I'll get to sign your annual. I'm  
 really gonna miss you next year. I  
 hope you're not mad because of the  
 way I speak my opinion at practice.

Good luck at Auburn!

I love you! Sherri

OHS  
 Majorettes  
 #11\*

Cindy,  
 I really  
 don't know  
 what to say but  
 you've really  
 helped me with  
 a lot of my problems  
 I love ya a lot  
 and I miss you  
 THE

1986

Love ya,  
 Melly

# YELLOW JACKET

# OXFORD HIGH SCHOOL

# OXFORD, ALABAMA

Cindy,

Hey babe! Can you  
 believe we're finally  
 seniors? I'm going  
 to miss you when  
 we graduate because  
 you always seem to  
 make me laugh. You  
 have a great personality.  
 Maybe next year you'll be  
 a big majorette at Auburn.  
 Best of luck in the future.

Seniors  
 #11

Majorettes  
 #11

OXFORD

High School  
 Cup

Advisor — Becky Nelson  
 Editor — Angie Christopher

Cindy,

I really don't know what  
 to say, except that you're really  
 sweet & pretty & you helped  
 me a lot this year's last.  
 And I hope that we will  
 always be friends.

Good luck in the future  
 3w/ David.

I have ya  
 Katie



"Hey Todd! What'd you do this summer?"

"Oh, the usual. I hung out at Moore's or the Lake. What'd you do?"

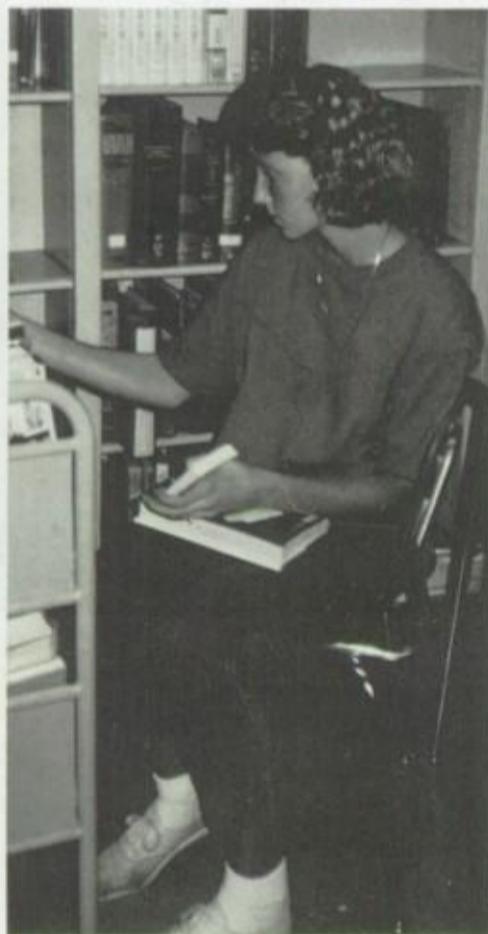
"I worked."

Summer and after school jobs were an important part of students' lives. They provided students with experience and training, not to mention money.

But there was a hidden side of students just waiting to break loose anytime a moment

of freedom lurked around the corner.

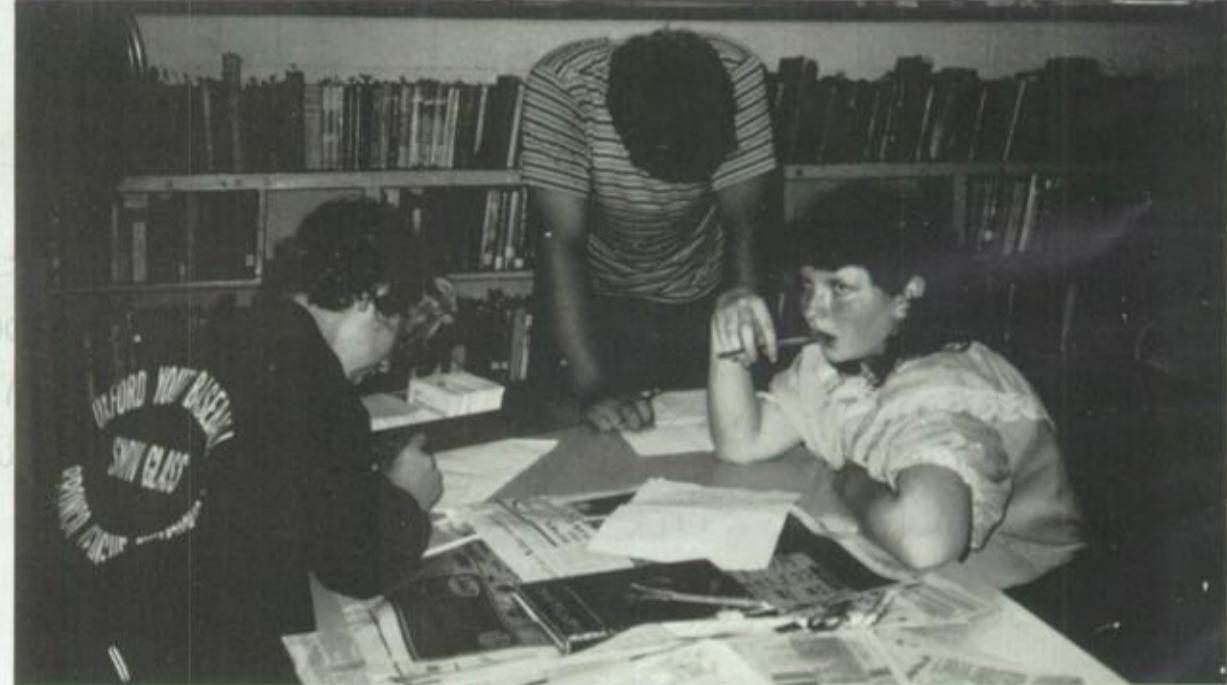
Students found an abundance of activities to engage in when given some extra time. More productive students worked to earn extra money, while still others took advantage of extra time to socialize at Moore's, or catch up on their homework. With a little ingenuity, students always found an activity that was worth devoting some attention to.



Katrina McDill makes use of the vast references our library offers.

"Ice Cream anyone?" Amy Williams enjoys her job at the ice cream parlor.

These 8th graders are hard at work.





"I feel that working while attending school is doing an excellent job of preparing me for college life. I feel it is doing this by getting me used to doing work and school without getting much sleep." — RICKY MILLER

"My leisure time after school not only affects my life, it is my life. You should not, however, totally neglect school and other work, because of what it will earn? later on." — CHRIS ABERNATHY



"My leisure time consists of escaping from the world by shifting all my thoughts to the thrill and excitement of climbing an almost vertical hill." — GRANT WHITTLE

"My first impression I got of this school was that it was going to be difficult to get along with people. It ended up being easier than I thought." — BUTCH LOYD

Junior, Tracey Johnson is helping a customer at the new Sears store.

Commercial Sewing provides Juanita Williams with skills which could one day make her a good seamstress.



Bill Porter and Gary Mason are changing a tire in Auto Body and Fender.

Rick Ray takes that extra minute in Graphic Arts to make sure it's just right.



*me & my  
Baby & Gina*

"Oxford has a winning tradition. We believe that anything is possible, and we are encouraged to be the best we can be. In short, Oxford is a school of champions." — KATHY MORGAN

"The spirit of Oxford is growth in best way possible." — RUSSELL HOUSE

"Morale runs high at pep rallies and football games. Oxford folks are polite with a touch of wackiness." — BO WILLIAMS

"There is a definite spirit here at Oxford. Not always of good or bad, but always of determination." — JEFF McEWEN

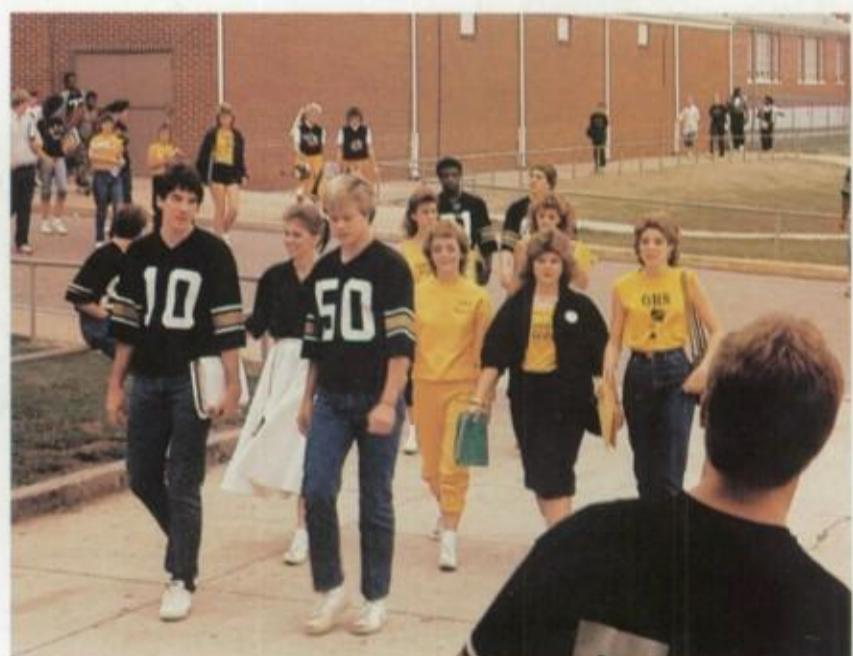
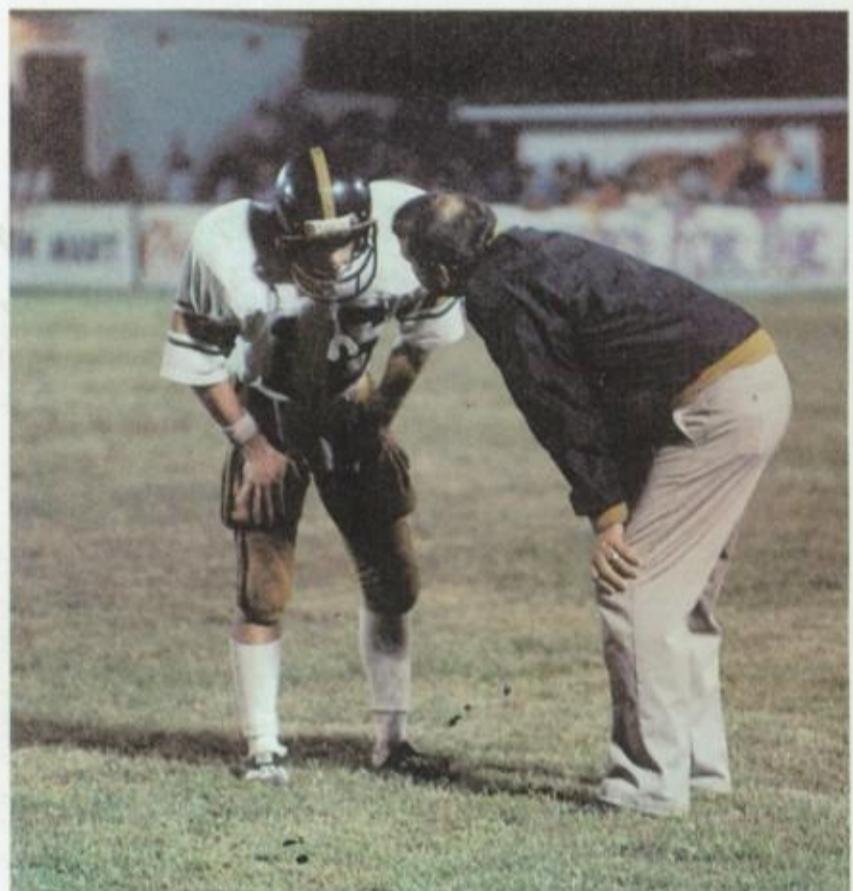
This group of juniors show what friendship is all about.

Chuck Holcombe and Coach Herring plan for the next play.



The Golden Girls have got spirit! These are just a few of our talented and highstepping performers.

On football Friday's, all you will see is Black and Gold.



As the year progressed, a oneness in spirit was seen in school life. No two people are alike. We share similar experiences and yet we all react differently. A wide variety of people go to Oxford. Although each of us are individually distinguished from others by our personalities, we share the same enthusiastic bond of spirit.

Oxford's pep rallies are the obvious forms of spirit. It gives us the chance to get together and show our spirit as a whole. But there is a different spirit that roams the halls. It comes from the support of our friends, working together to achieve a goal, and people loving each other. It is not always spoken of, but it is there.

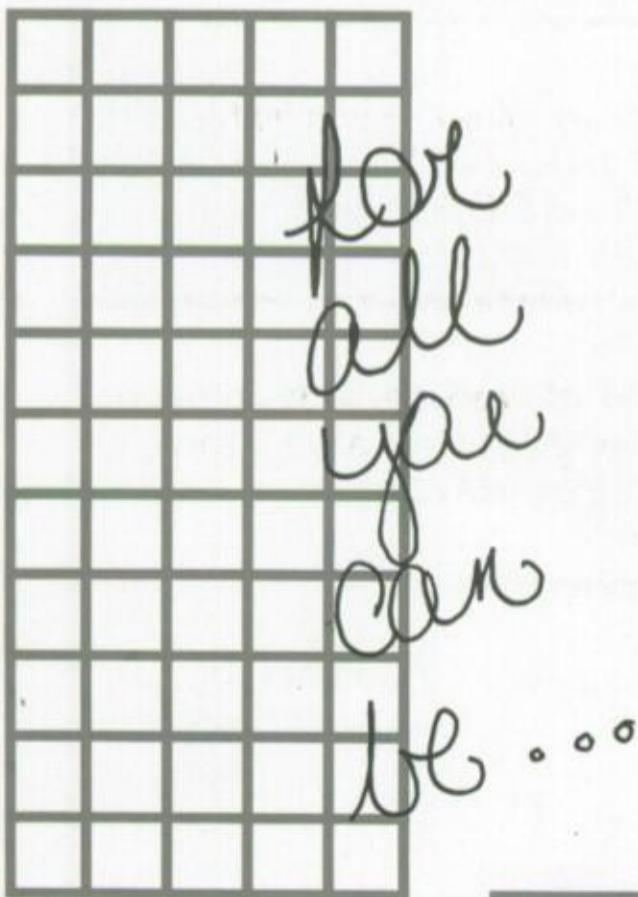


"We're #1!"



Shane Kennedy, Sophomore seems to be saying "That's all folks!" But it's just the beginning. You'll see. Just turn the page!

Everyone looks forward to getting a top locker their senior year, including Kim Butler. Tammy Taber and Tobi Wilson know that teamwork gets the job done.



Standing out in a crowd means being the best you can be. New goals were set as standards rose, and sacrifices were often necessary to accommodate new interests. Simple things like giving up ball games to be able to work and save money for a car, became just as important to some as making grades high enough to be named

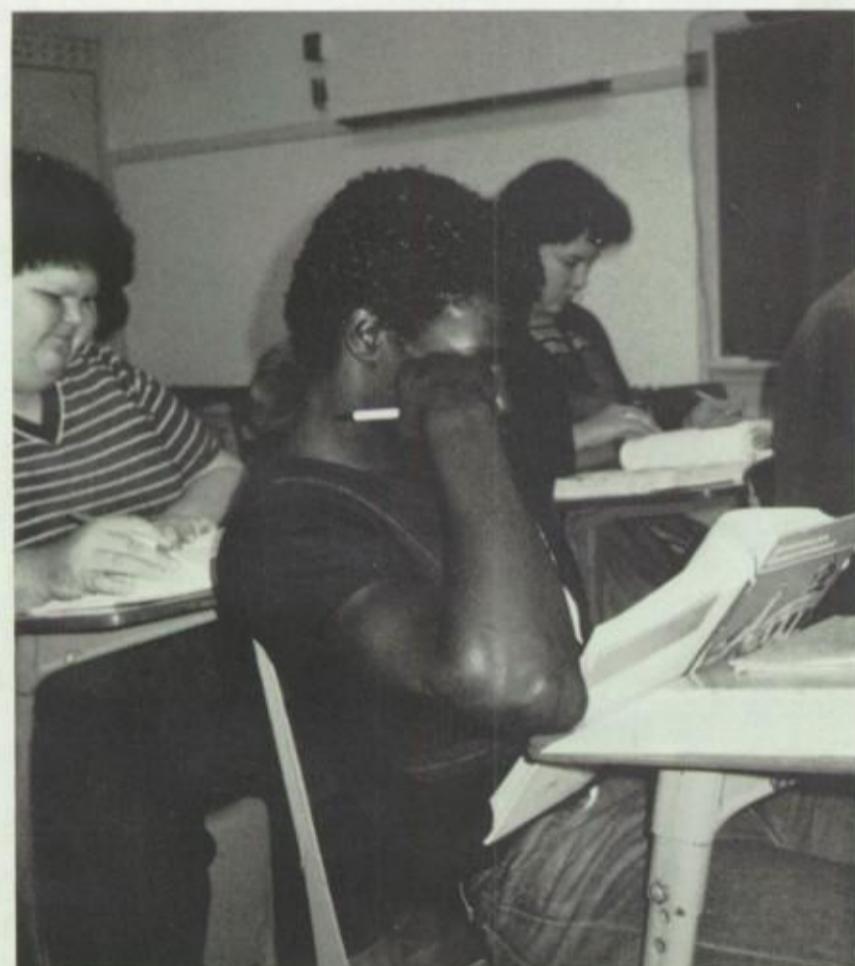
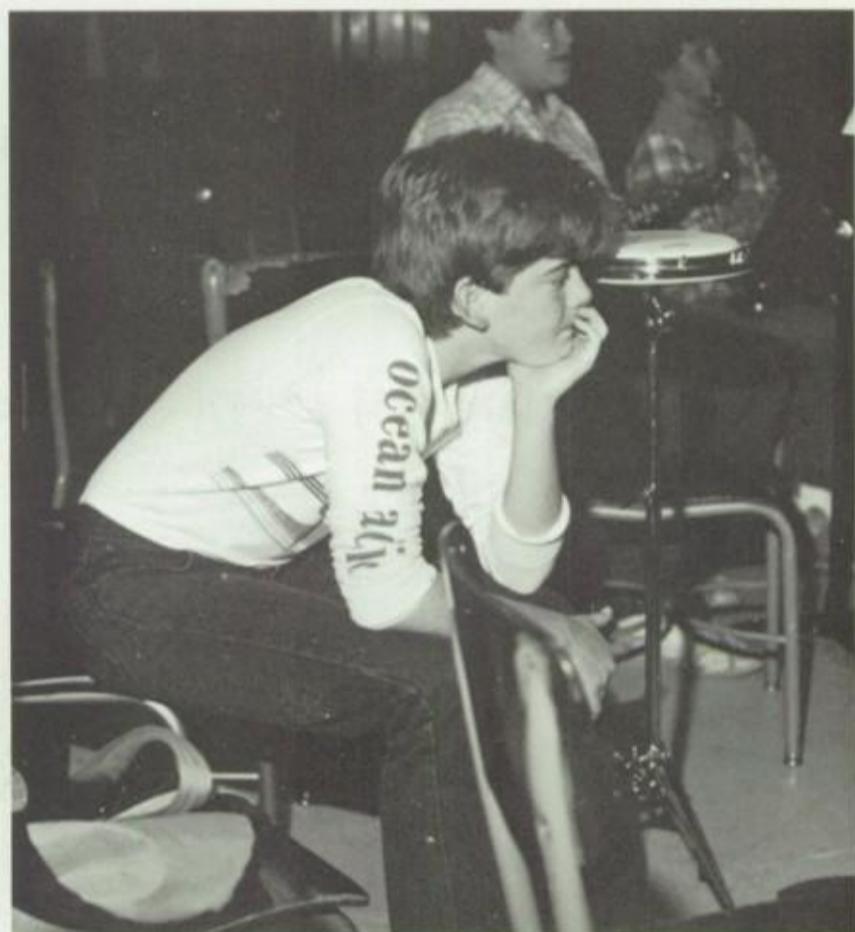
valedictorian.

Specialization became a necessity to avoid being lost in the crowd. Each person develops special interests and sets themselves apart through excellence in that area. Performing to utmost ability and forgetting past limits helped achievers overcome the odds and come out on top.



Stacy Cobb develops her artistic abilities in art class.

Senior, Rony Kelley is doing some last minute studying.



"That's the first kiss he ever let me give him!" exclaimed Jennifer Rimel of her twin brother Jeff.

Beginning band is an exasperating but worthwhile experience.

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"My future hopes are to make something of myself through education. I also hope to have a good marriage and family life to accompany my achievements." — MISSY TRUITT

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"I want to do a lot of things — like being a doctor. But I would most of all like to pilot a commercial airliner." — TODD BERRY

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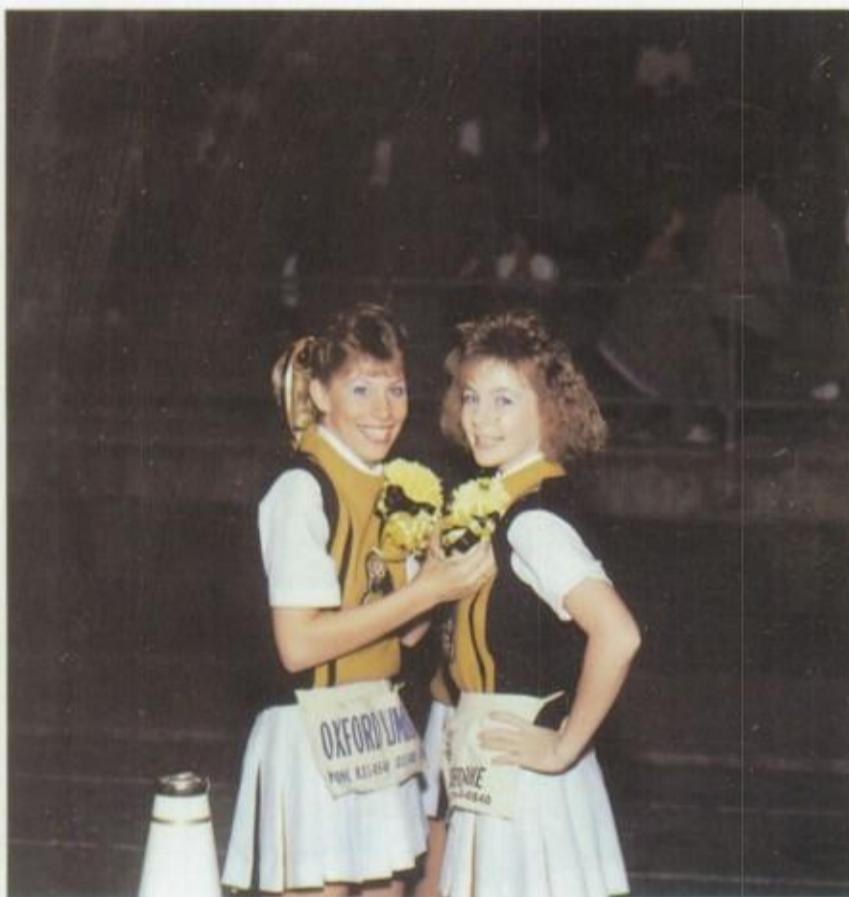
"I have dreamed of working with computers and possibly for NASA. I have always thought it would be fun. — ERIC HARRELL

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"I like foreign languages so I may be a foreign ambassador." — CAMIE NEWMAN



Shannon Higgins and Stacy Britt are pinning on each others homecoming corsages.



The homecoming dance was a time to get together and have fun with your friends.

Cynthia Lee, Senior gives the yellow jacket a big hug!

"What Oxford means to me: Exercise!! Running from class to class, carrying 50 pounds of books, and listening to and copying notes at 55 mph." — PAUL CLARK

"Oxford has helped transform me into a liberal, open-minded, free-thinking individualist." — MICHAEL COOK

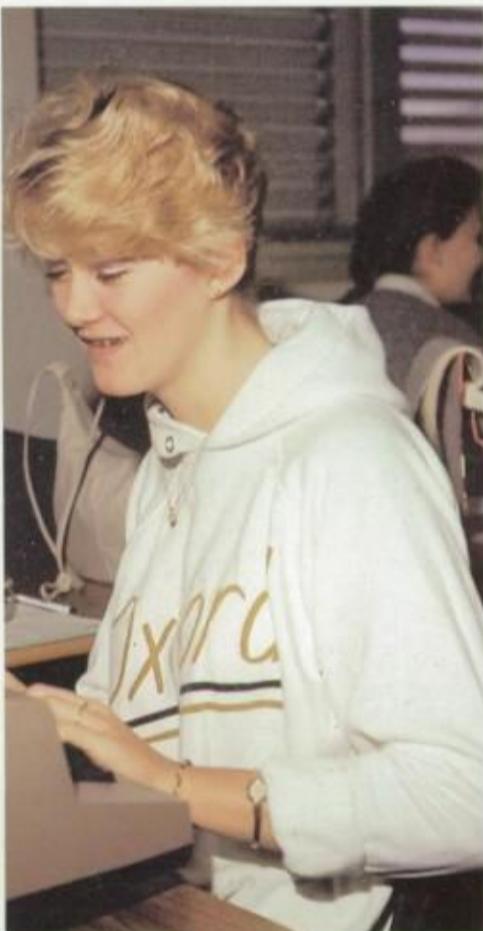
"My first year at Oxford has started out to be a great one. It has been a big change. I hope to have many great years at Oxford." — KRISTI KING

"I have enjoyed Oxford High School for three years. My favorite memory was when the band went to Guntersville last year." — CINDY RUST





Twyla Johns is busily typing away.



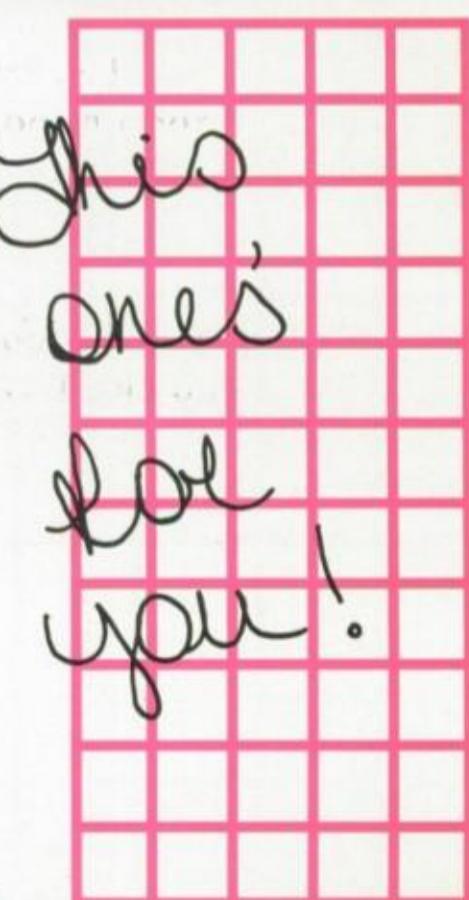
And we really mean you! If you've noticed, this book has a whole new goal. This year you can judge a book by its cover. Your name is right there to let you know that we wanted each person to be a part of the 1986 Yellow Jacket.

We have tried to present on these pages random scenes, common and unique at Oxford High School.

You, the student body, the

faculty, and the supporters of Oxford, are what this book is all about. We take pride in dedicating the 1986 Yellow Jacket to you.

For all you do on the weekends and on those special occasions . . . For all you do on the courts and on the tracks . . . For all you do to help the community and inspire unity . . . For all you do . . .



There's  
miss  
Fox's love Gina



To you:  
you know you're  
pretty,  
you know you're  
fine,  
you know that  
every body wish  
that they were  
your (you though it  
would rhyme).

I would write about  
all the good times  
we had together

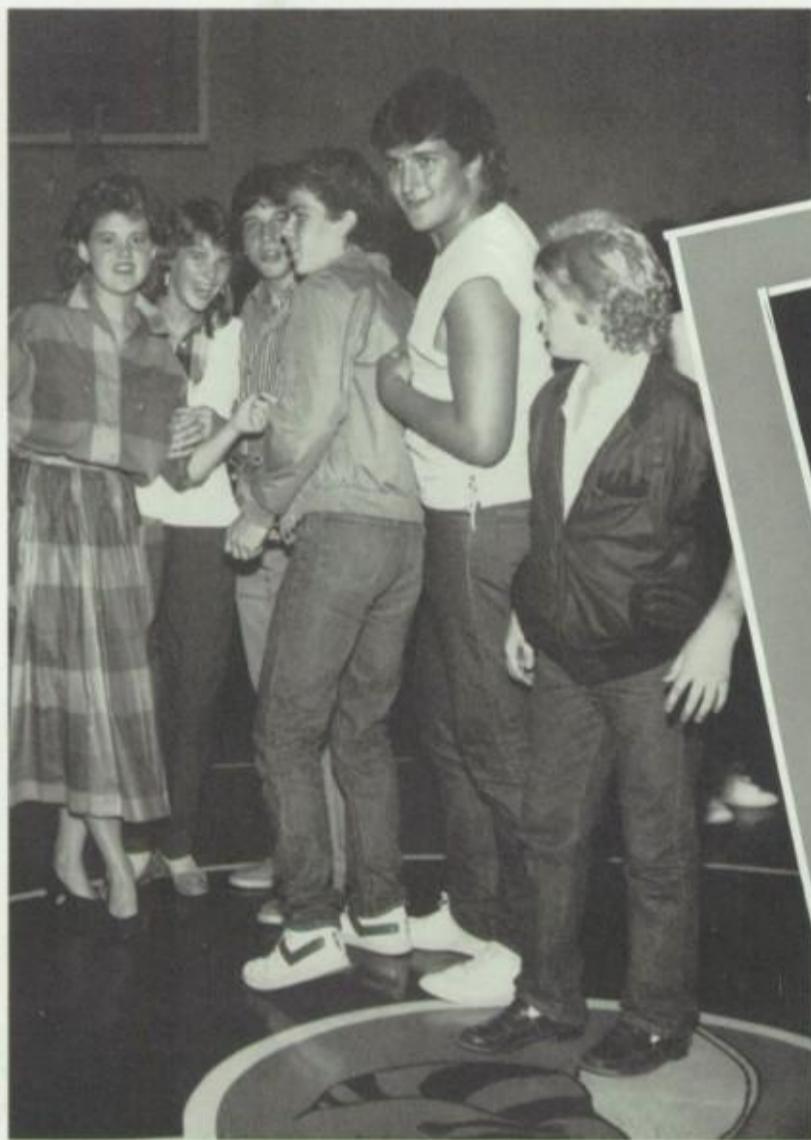
but I can't recall  
any (kidding) and don't forget the

5'7" Reid  
Keith  
love II 52

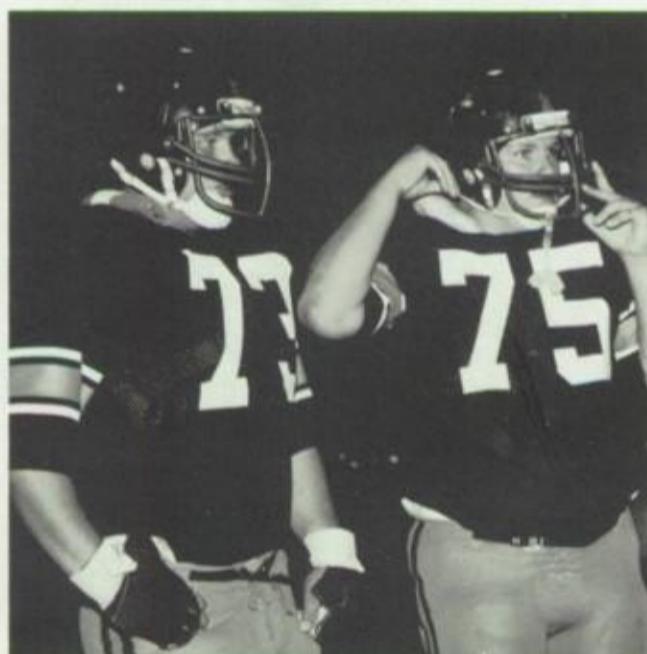
stay like you are

I'm in mood, for want I don't know,  
(Stormy weather), it's a hip song, it get me

the best song in the whole world



**HOMECOMERS . . .**  
For all the nights you worked on  
your class float, For all the  
homeroom doors you con-  
structed, For holding up past  
traditions — and starting our  
own, For the spirit shown at the  
pep rally, and on the field, For  
all this and much, much more  
**. . . THIS ONE'S FOR YOU!**

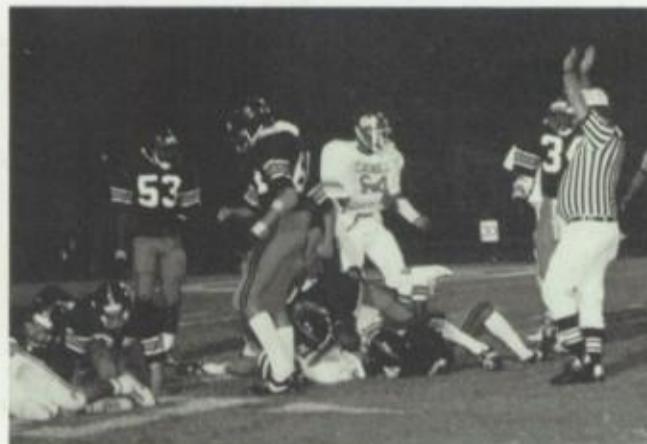


Homecoming always sparks  
smiles!

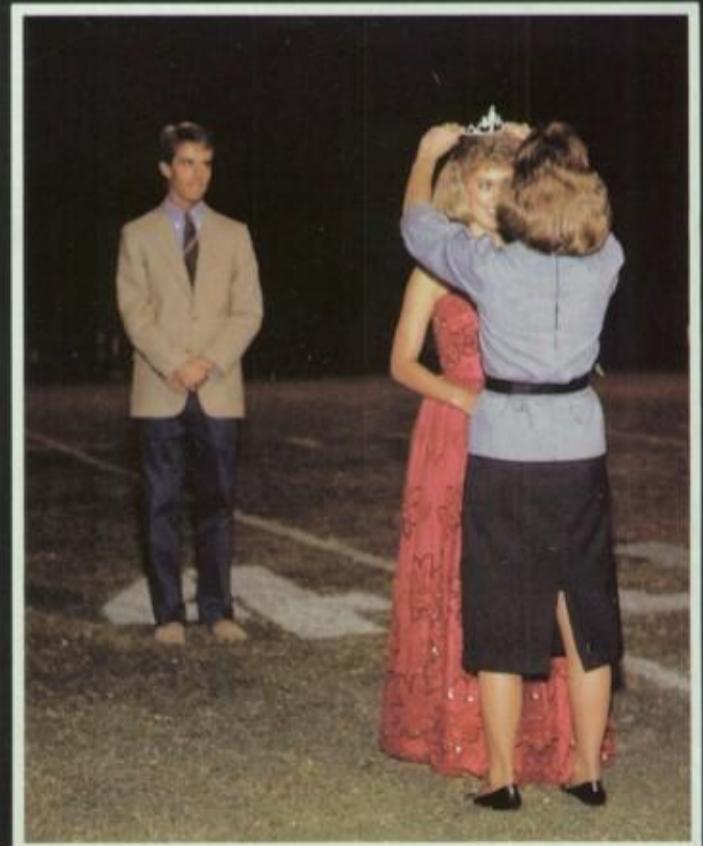
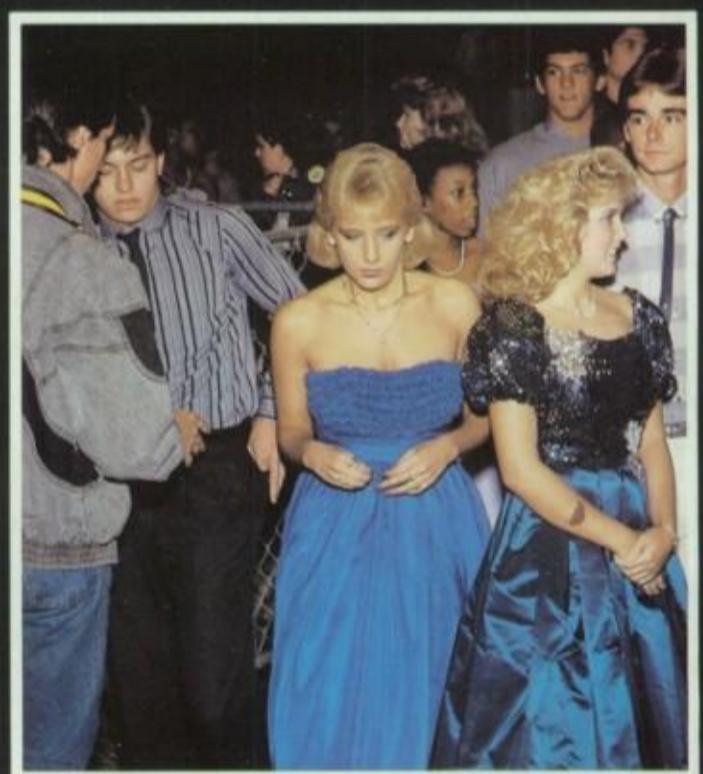
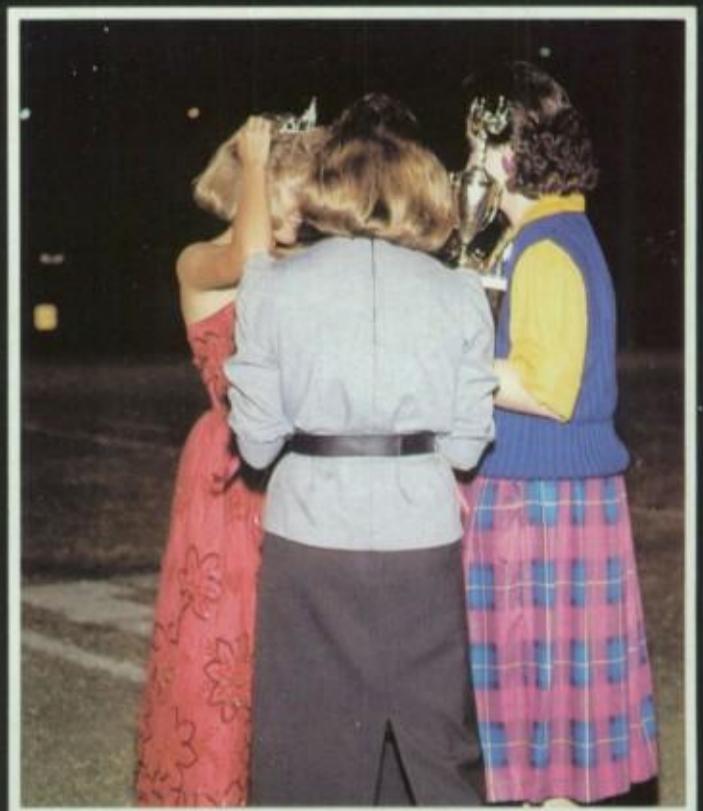
Rowan Bussey and Mark  
Marable keep track of our  
teams every move.

John Carroll was no match for  
the Mighty Jackets!!

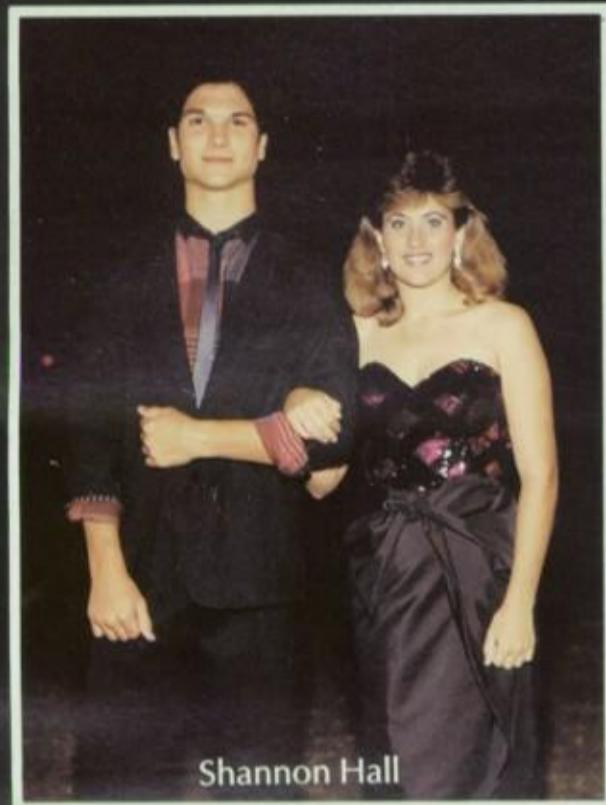
**MYSTIQUE!** Featuring our  
own Steven Waits.



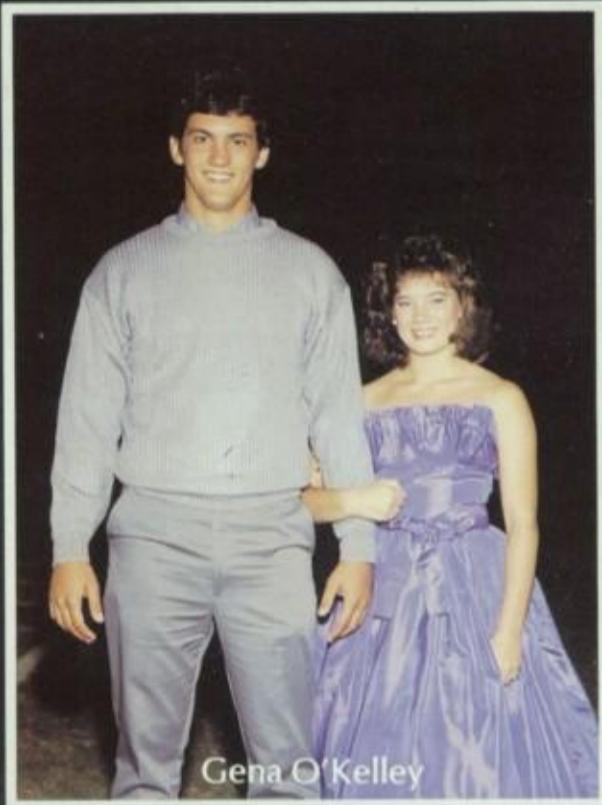
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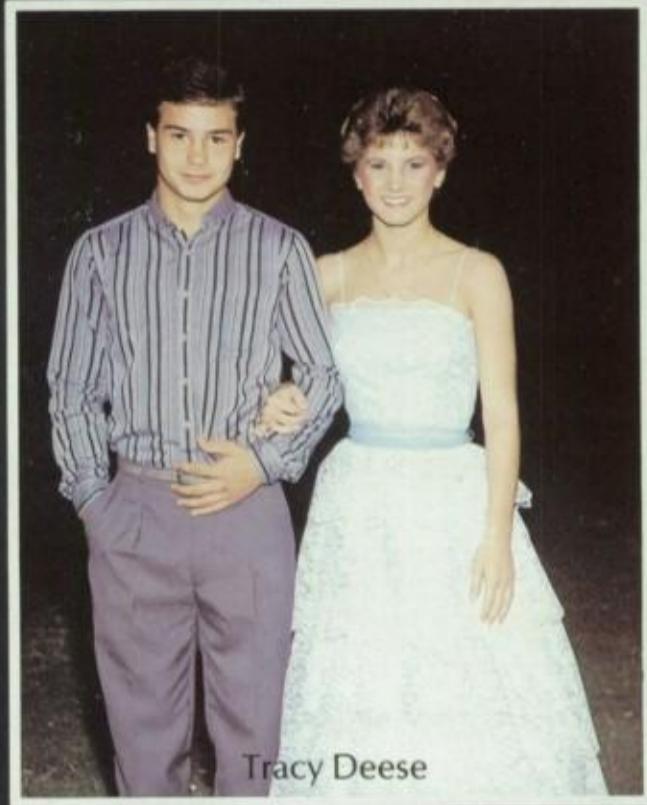
CINDY STEWART



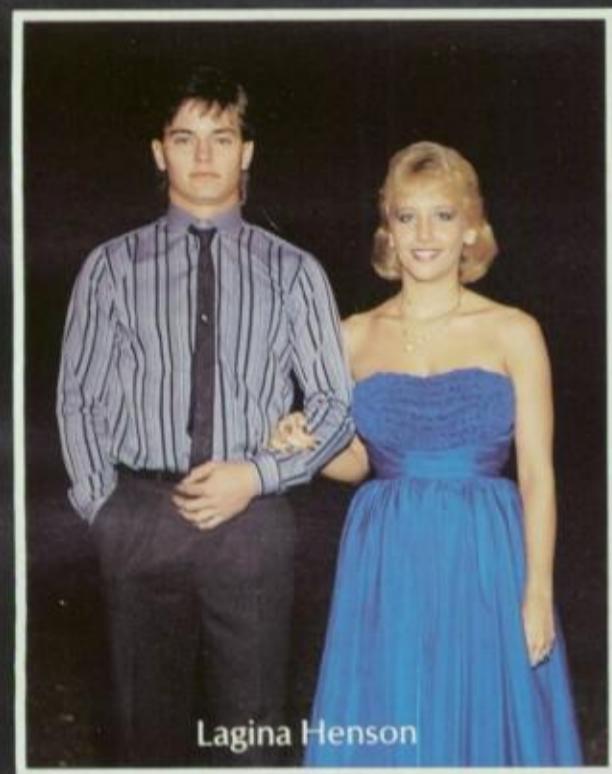
Shannon Hall



Gena O'Kelley

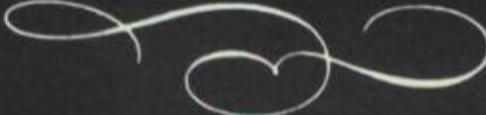


Tracy Deese



Lagina Henson

## AND HER COURT



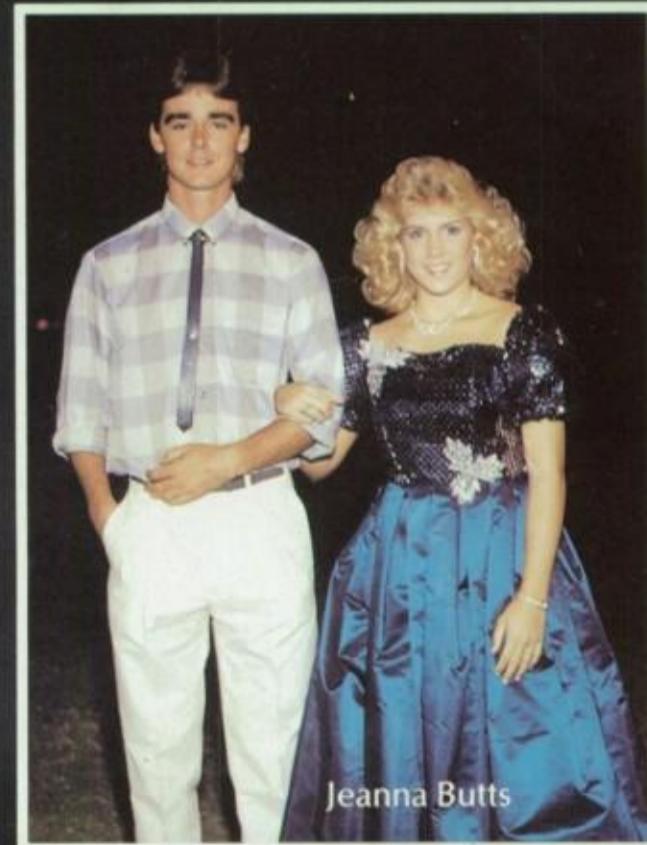
Gina Turner



Cynthia Lee



Belinda Akles



Jeanna Butts

# JR. HIGH MISS HOMECOMING



TERESA BAILEY



Euphemia Evans



Wendy Stewart



Kem Jenkins



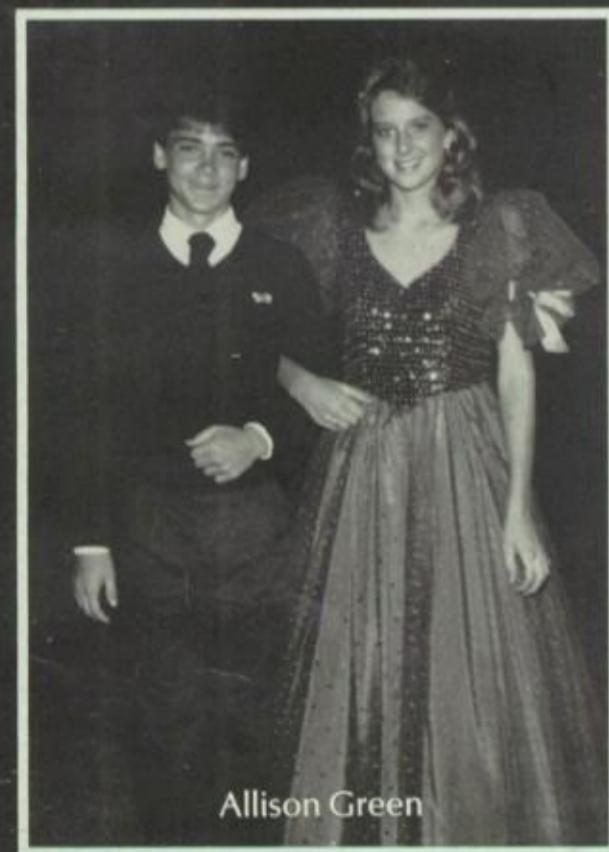
Kristy Screws

## AND HER COURT

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Crissy Buchanan



Allison Green

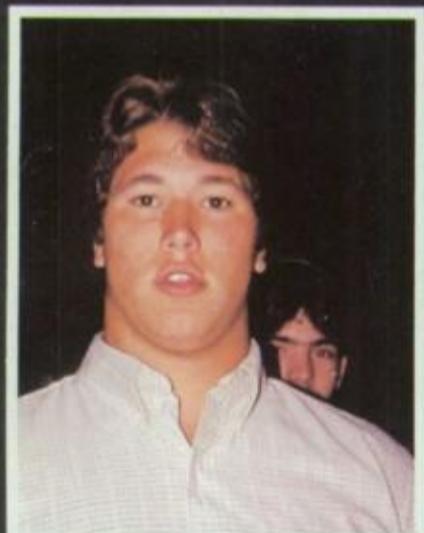
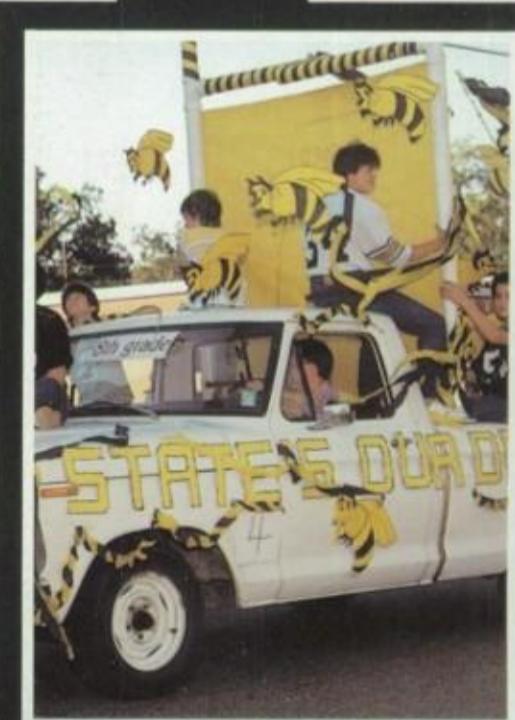
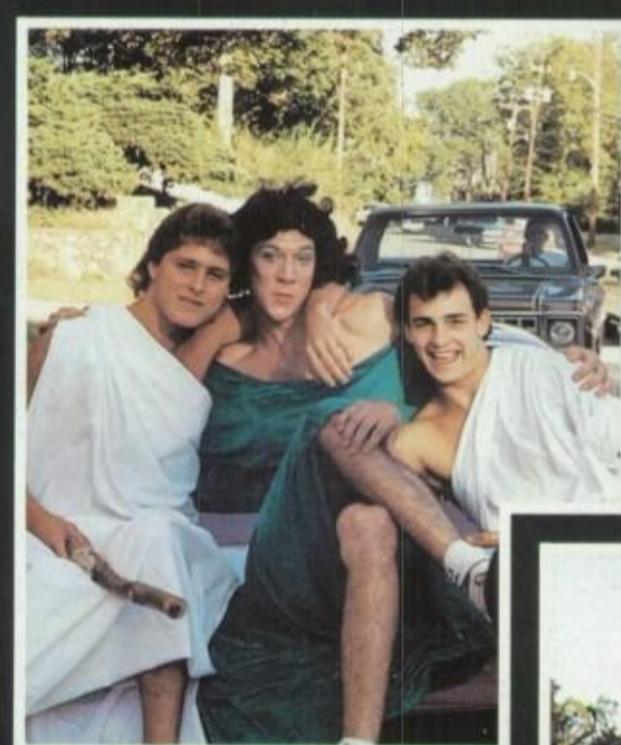


Madonna Maffett



Randa Herring

# = HOMECOMING =



They're out there all right lurking in the shadows of the weekend. They are virtually undetectable in the monotony of Wednesday, but they are unstoppable on Friday. This week was different. Yellow Jacket fans were more excited and anxious to get to the game. You could feel the spirit gathering between the students. It was Homecoming and "To State was Our Drive."

As the football team practiced all week getting ready for the big game against John Carroll, the girls went out anxiously shopping for that perfect outfit.

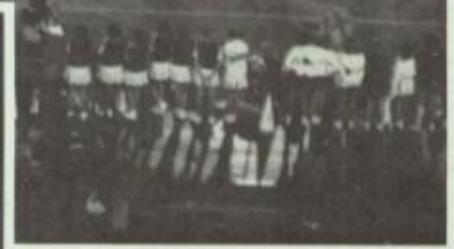
Homecoming brought with it various traditions such as the homeroom door competition, which was won by Mrs. McGarity and Mrs. Glennis Parris' homeroom. It also brought the return of the homecoming parade and the second annual senior parade. But, the most noticeable change in tradition was made when the Homecoming dance was moved to Thursday night.

After last years absence of the homecoming parade everyone was excited about its return this year. Students worked long hours to get their floats ready for the parade. The best float was won by the eighth grade, however, there were no losers. All were WINNERS!

As we cooled down from the parade, the time came for the guys to get out their corsages and for the girls to put on that special outfit they spent so long putting together. The mood was set and everyone was ready. All was quiet as the first couples arrived. There was time to socialize, get pictures made, and to see who was with who. Instead of listening to records, we had our own local band, "Mistique," to play. They rocked us through our best homecoming dance ever. It was definitely a night to remember.

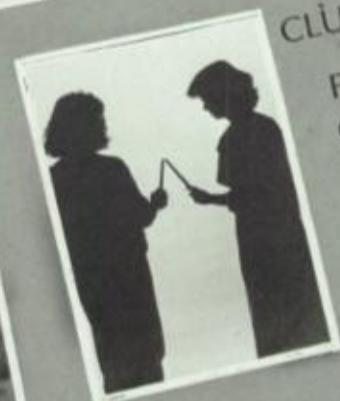
Finally, it was officially homecoming day. You could feel the ELECTRICITY between the students, as we packed into the gym. We may have been cramped and hot, but JACKET SPIRIT was floating through the air. All that mattered was that Oxford was going to be victorious. As the pep rally went on, we showed our devotion to our team, cheerleaders, and band. To bring it to a close, we came together to sing the Alma Mater. The rest was left up to the team. It was up to them to make Homecoming 85 complete.

Finally, no more waiting for the big game. The Yellow Jacket Team was definitely ready for John Carroll. It was the night that we were to show them what that JACKET PRIDE WAS ALL ABOUT. The Jacket fans cheered the team to a 32-6 victory over John Carroll.



## CLUBS/ORGANIZATIONS





CLUBBERS . . .

For all you do to raise funds, For all the meetings attended and projects completed, For helping the community and inspiring unity, For all those initiations, For being a belonger, an organizer, and a groupie, For all this and much, much, more . . .

THIS ONE'S FOR YOU!



Shannon Hall, head Golden Girl, in the middle of another show-stopping half-time performance.

Chris Abernathy and Mary King working on an article for the Stinger.

The FHA Banquet was a time for socializing, and eating!

Keith Mitchell, Mark Shaw, and Ronald Martin — District FFA Floriculture judging winners.



# CULBESON



1st Row L to R: Judy Cupo, Gina Screws, Michelle Pieper, Jenny Brewer, Liane Burgess, Susan Hunter, Chrystal Prestridge, Laurie Bell, Angie Hamlin, Staci Rinehart, Amy Denson, Wendy Brimer, Pam Setliff, Vickie Reddick. 2nd Row: Lynn Houck, Jackaline Deerman, Christy McCarty, Sponsor: Mrs. Martin, Judy Thagard, Shannon Hall, Tracy Lindley.



OFFICERS: Jackaline Deerman — Treasurer, Christy McCarty — Secretary, Lynn Houck — Chaplin, Judy Thagard — Vice President, Shannon Hall — President, Tracy Lindley — Project Chairman.



Culberson members want to have  
purpose as they live  
Using their time and talents in service to give  
Loving the participants at Special Olympics day  
Buying gifts for children with Christmas on the way  
Enjoying a hayride and a banquet in spring  
Rising early Saturday to the nursing home with pets to bring  
So the school year of 86 saw HI-Y girls work and have fun  
One and all together they get it all done  
Never forgetting Culberson friends all for one

# G E N C E L



First Row: L. Smallwood, T. Embry. 2nd Row: A. Williams, D. Grizzard, N. Stewart, R. Young. 3rd Row: H. McCulley, D. Hubbard, T. Morgan, T. Johnson, A. Leemaster, G. Turner. 4th Row: Sponsor: Mrs. McGarity, T. West, D. West, M. Baker, G. Pierce, V. Cates, C. Lee, A. Gaines, J. Vise. 5th Row: J. Butts, L. Henson, P. Grizzard, C. Livingston, T. McCracken, C. Stewart. 6th Row: M. Johnson, A. Bailey, S. Harris, G. O'Kelley.

OFFICERS: Jeanna Butts, Donna Grizzard, Tonya Morgan, Amy Williams, Cynthia Lee, Tracey Johnson, Christi Livingston.



Gancel is an organization whose main concern is helping others who are less fortunate, and making them feel good about themselves. Friendship is said to be the greatest gift to others and we uphold that saying.

This year, Gancel's project consisted of sponsoring a child for Christmas and helping with the Special Olympics. We would also like to welcome and congratulate this year's new sponsor, Mrs. McGarity for taking time to work with us.

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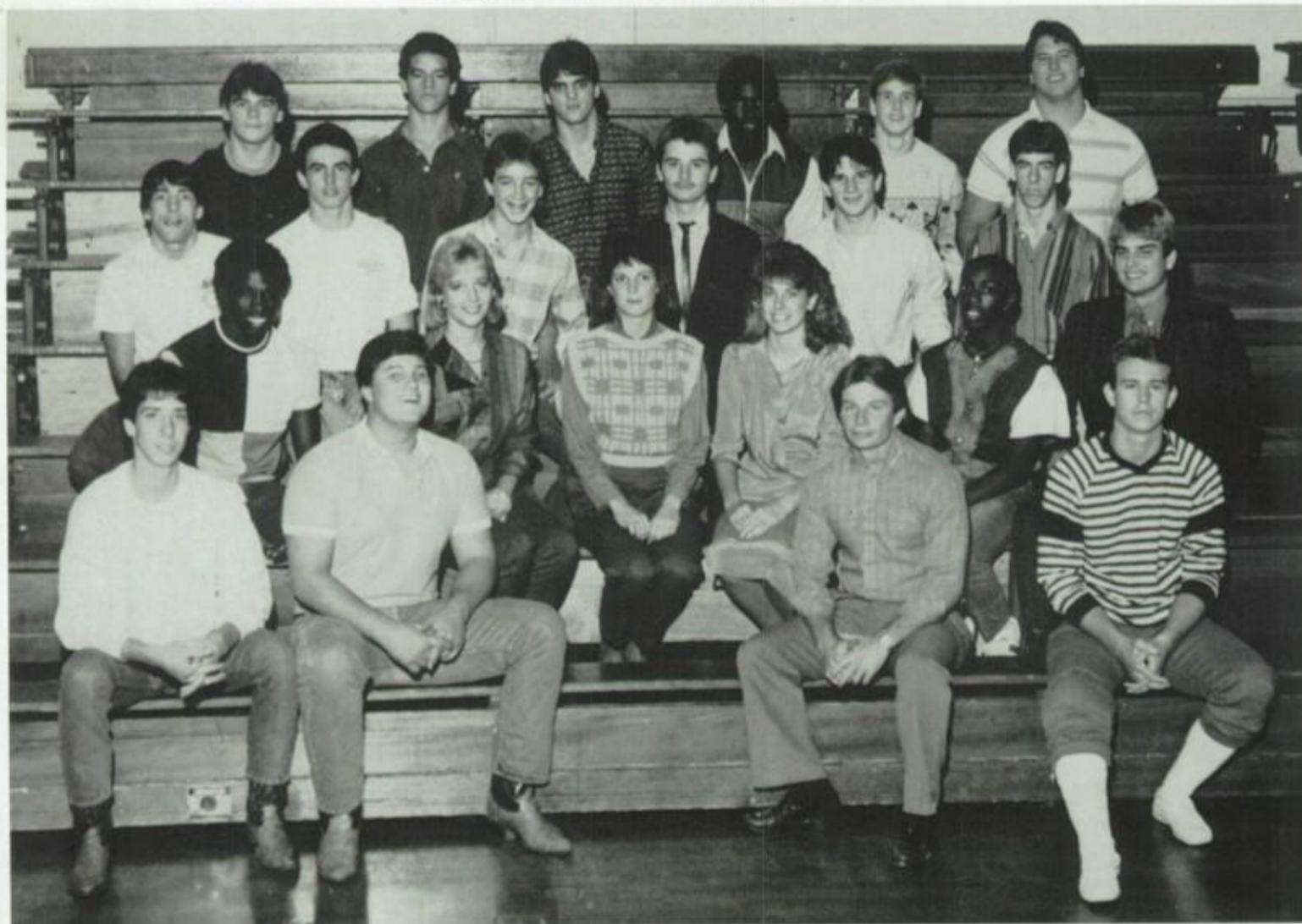
# SENIOR BETA



From L to R: Kathy Morgan — President; Kevin Jones — Vice President; Jenny Brewer — Treasurer; Lynn Houck — Secretary; Judy Thaggard, Reporter.

From L to R, 1st Row: Chris Kelly, Jenny Brewer, Lynn Houck, Robert Trimble. 2nd Row: Kim Pettus, Debra Gilmore, Janine Kemp, Tywaunja West, Allison Leemaster. 3rd Row: Judy Thaggard, Angie Hamlin, Dywaunja West, Cindy Stewart, Jeanna Butts, David Miller, Wendy Brimer. 4th: Pam Setliff, Michael Cook, Marianne Hart. 5th: Bill McCormick, Matthew Holmes, Ricky Miller, Melissa Johnson. 6th: Debr Clayton, Kathy Morgan. 7th: Kevin Jones, Chris Andrews. 8th: Mark Shaw.

# KEY CLUB



From L to R, 1st Row: Matthew Livingston, Rowan Bussey, Sponsor: Paul Bain, Chris Kelly. 2nd: Rony Kelly, Sweethearts: Lagina Henson, Christi Livingston, Gina Turner, Gary Mason, Chuck Holcomb. 3rd: Keith Reid, Ray Whiteside, Chris Randall, Mike Taylor, Ted Darby, Jeff Knight. 4th: Doug Setliff, Ben Robertson, Chris Findley, Wendell Kelly, Pat Craton, Noel Johnson.



D.L.D.  
Row L to R: D. Smith, S. Lambert, T. Spurlin, C. Pruitt, C. Austin, K. Reid, S. Batey, C. Wall, A. Henderson, P. Lacher. 2nd Row: M. Stewart, M. Bryant, D. Thompson, Rodriguez, T. Miller, K. Hill, J. Phillips, L. Moore, W. Stewart, C. Buchanan, B. Rice, S. Simms, Y. Brown, W. Calloway. 3rd Row: T. Chandler, V. McKenzie, N. Howle, J. Addix, D. Mize, M. Osborn, L. Ingram, K. Jenkins, K. Carter, T. Young, G. Nail, T. Hickman, S. Hand, S. Stoval, C. Crook, K. Christian, L. Berryhill, R. House. 4th Row: P. Ridya, J. Cheatwood, B. Dempsey, J. Barett, S. Vaughn, S. Kirby, J. Arnold, I. Abernathy, R. Trimble, S. McEwen, V. Brewington, K. Robertson. 5th Row: J. Flummer, S. Plegate, R. Shaw, C. Cofer, D. Carpenter, T. Hanner, B. Eaton, G. Turner, S. Cheatwood, J. Jack, K. McCullough, M. Spivey, P. Ware, T. Embry, T. Moore, A. Moore, J. May.

## JUNIOR BETA

The Junior and Senior Beta is for those few students who have enough knowledge of all their subjects to get a "B" average or above.

Junior and Senior Beta have become more well-known and respected than in previous years. Their main function is as an honor society, however, they have been involved in community actions throughout the year.

The main objective of Junior and Senior Beta is to help promote leadership and responsibility in all aspects of School Life.

The following are the officers for the Junior Beta, From L to R: Tonya Spurlin, Kevin Reid, Chris Austin, Scott Batey, Candi Pruitt.



# FOLLOW THE LEADERS

Lagina  
Henson  
Officer



Angela  
Bailey  
Officer

## STUDENT COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES



1st Row: Shay Goodwin, Wendy Wyatt, Michelle Trego, Fifi Evans, Jeanna Durham, Kristi Cody, Jennifer Pettus, Al Leemaster, T. Taber, Lynn Champion, B. Edwards, T. Garner. 2nd Row: Dawn Stevens, T. Bailey, Melody Bryant, J. Shaddix, Sonja Lambert, Shayne Hunter, Kim Dag, Elisa Shipley, Shannon Perry, D. Dempsey, Steve Raughton, K. Harmon. 3rd Row: B. Nicholson, K. Robinson, E. Brown, T. Edmondson, C. Austin, Jeff Strickland, Steven McEwen, Shane Kirby, Shelton Cobb, S. Reaves, P. Crayton. 4th Row: Charlie Crabtree, Eric Harrell, Matt Smith, Melissa Johnson, Ann Kimsey, S. Spivacy, Christy McCarty, Scott Sparks, Mathew Livingston.

# USING OUR HEADS AND HEARTS

## FCS



1st Row: J. Shaddix, J. Vise, P. Setliff, C. Prestridge, J. Deerman. 2nd Row: B. Britton, S. Batey, J. Thagard, C. McCarty, J. Hyatt. 3rd Row: L. Baughn, L. Houck, M. Bryant, L. Doyle. SPONSOR: R. Bennett, S. Spivey.

"FCS IS AWESOME" says Lee Baughn, a senior member. Lee's feelings toward Fellowship of Christian Students seems to reflect the general feelings of all FCS members.

Fellowship of Christian Students is an organization that is dedicated to spreading the news of Jesus Christ.

The annual FCS Spring Youth Rally was a huge success. "Daybreak," a local contemporary Christian band, was the main attraction of the evening. There were at least ten decisions made by students around the area that night alone. FCA president, Judy Thagard gives the credit to God for the success of this event, as well as all others sponsored by Fellowship of Christian Students.

The members of FCS realize that the foundation of their club is Jesus Christ. He sacrificed His life for the fulfillment of every Willing follower of His word. Without this love, the Fellowship of Christian Students' organization would not be possible. Jesus Christ . . . THIS ONE'S FOR YOU!

## ALGEBRA I TEAM



1st Row: B. Brewington, J. Flummer, Sponsor: D. Brickhouse. 2nd Row: M. Sheppard, C. Cofer, L. Doyle.

## ALGEBRA II TEAM



Sitting: M. Hart, K. Butler. Standing: Sponsor: R. Bennett, J. Arensmeyer, J. Lee.

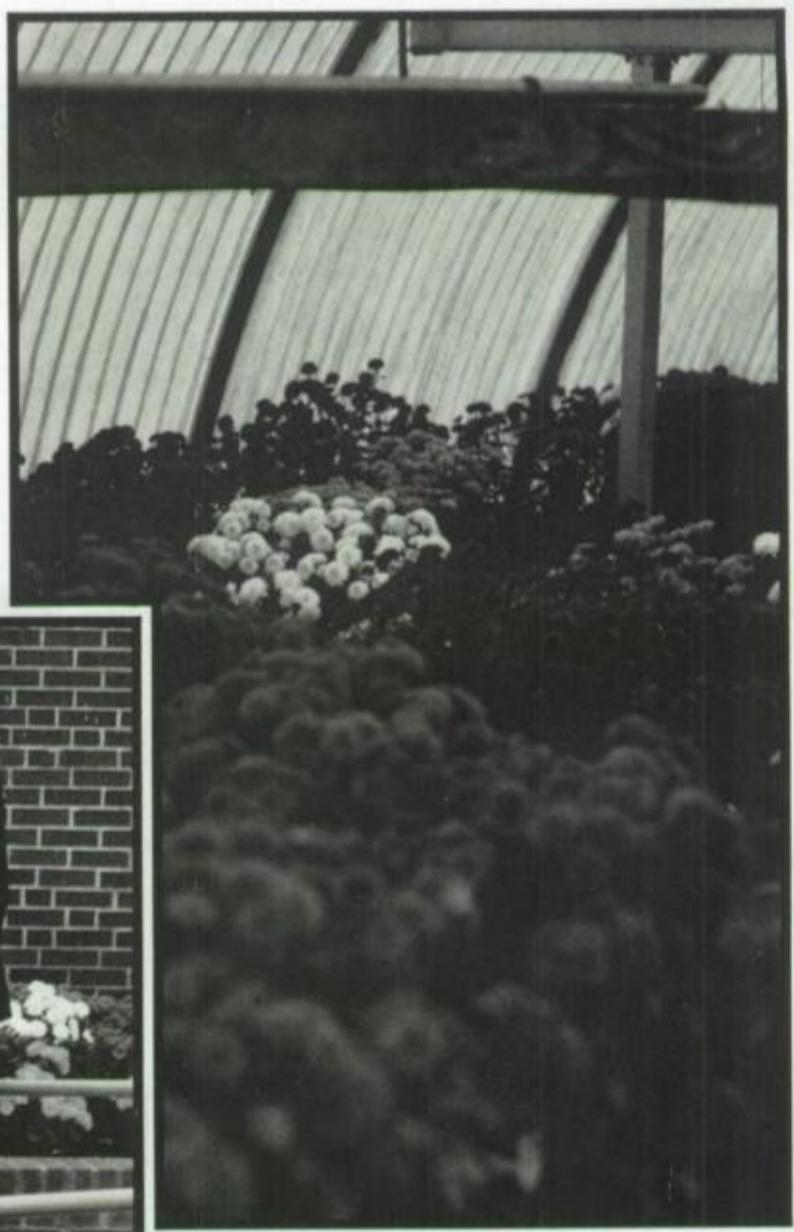
# FUTURE FARMERS OF AMERICA



First Row: T. Brown, M. Shaw, R. Bussey, M. Marable, R. Martin, L. McDowell. Second Row: L. Hatten, H. Crone, C. Young, C. Swearengin, L. Cloud, M. Chivington, C. Williams, S. Butler, A. Baker, T. Pilkington, A. Garner, S. Mason, S. Cunningham. Third Row: Mr. Landers, R. Laymon, T. Cofer, R. Stevens, A. Lang, J. Frechette, L. Cobb, J. Sloan, J. Hubbard, D. Gilmore, T. Wooten, T. Harris, R. Storey. Fourth Row: J. Miller, J. Howell, D. Gaines, B. Spence, M. Shirey, J. Hines, D. Skeen, M. Winingham, B. McNeely, J. Lipham, B. Bedford, T. Carroll, K. Mitchell, T. Carter, M. Donaldson, D. Williams.

# FFA

The best way to learn is to do. That's been the philosophy of F.F.A. since the organization started back in 1928, and it is one that stands firm today. F.F.A. members are high school students of vocational horticulture who are studying to be horticulturists, salespeople, and managers. The career possibilities are endless, and they prepare to enter the workplace by getting hands-on experience. Today, the agricultural needs of the world are a major issue. An issue that F.F.A. members will impact with the training they gain today.





4-H Clubs are the largest youth organizations in Alabama with 114,000 members. 4-H Clubs are in every state in the United States and 83 foreign countries have similar youth programs. The green and white four-leaf clover emblem of 4-H is one of the most widely recognized insignias of any organization. Our goals are to have fun and fellowship while learning to become better leaders in our school, community, and world . . .



First Row: Mrs. Heard, L. Gore, T. Emigh, J. Phillips, C. McCurdy, D. Roberts, H. Iwerks, R. Thompson, J. Gaines. Second Row: A. Christopher, S. McConathy, S. Traywick, C. Thompson, J. Abernathy, A. Dowdney, N. Sistrunk, E. Hardy, A. Clevenger, M. Kretzschmar, R. Smith. Third Row: S. Tillman, N. Howle, S. McCain, K. Rogers, D. Word, L. Roberts, S. McConathy, M. Jennings, J. Durdin, K. Joseph, J. McSheridan. Fourth Row: J. Robertson, K. Roberson, S. White, H. Smith, S. Pogue, J. Ledbetter, D. Beckman, S. Payne, P. Waites.



First Row: S. Tillman, D. Beckman, K. Roberson, T. Emigh. Second Row: R. Thompson, K. Joseph, M. Kretzschmar. OFFICERS



E. Hardy, C. McCurdy, C. Thompson, H. Smith.



EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

"THE  
LUCKIES"



First Row: R. Thompson, S. Tillman, A. Christopher, K. Joseph, K. Roberson. Second Row: H. Smith, D. Beckman. TOP AWARD WINNERS

Angie Christopher STATE VICE-PRESIDENT

. . . The purpose of 4-H Club work is to help young people to develop skills, appreciation for scientific research information and to develop leadership and citizenship that will be useful regardless of occupation; and use wisely their individual abilities and talents. The Oxford Club is unique. It has an organized group of clowns called the "Luckies"



OFFICERS, 1st Row: Lisa Moore — Reporter, Pam Turner — Reporter. 2nd Row: Angie Griffin — Secretary-Treasurer, Stacy Stovall — Historian. 3rd Row: 2nd Vice-President — Tracy Carter, 1st Vice-President — Tonya Williams. 4th Row: President — Ava Lehr.



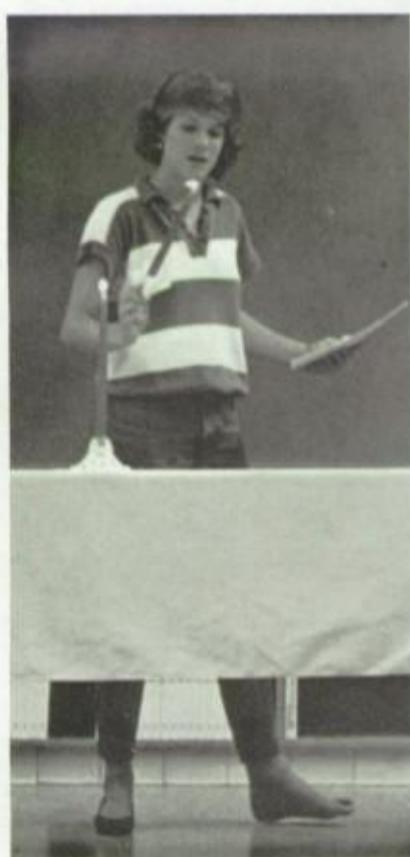
1st Row: Mrs. Parris, T. West, E. Burnam, K. Morrow, M. Starkey, J. Pettus, A. Griffin, T. Williams, A. Kemp, A. Lehr, Mrs. Jack. 2nd Row: K. Roberts, C. Woolf, J. Williams, T. Deramus, G. Boyd, K. Argo, R. Calder, K. Warren, C. Clayton, A. Voules, T. J. Cooper. 3rd Row: C. Moore, T. Embry, A. Higginbotham, A. J. Hodnett, A. Downey, K. Robertson, C. Allinder, C. Williams, C. Bonner. 4th Row: E. Silas, K. Nelson, R. Brott, T. Ford, A. Gardner, L. Ingram, K. Carter, J. Arnold, T. Embry, J. Jack, B. Benefield.





1st Row: S. Cobb, L. Doyle, J. Morrison, T. Hawkins, L. Moore, S. Stovall, T. Smelley, T. Carter, E. Turner, G. Mackery, G. Quigley. 2nd Row: P. Mangham, S. Cobb, A. Foshee, T. Rowe, S. Patel, N. Carter, L. Henderson, J. Watts, T. Watts, S. White, J. Traywick, J. Greenwood. 3rd Row: P. Webber, S. Lambert, S. Tolbert, M. Freeman, R. Cortez, T. Clayborn, P. Greenwade, S. Shiflett, S. Searcy, M. Kretzschmar, D. Shaw, C. Graves, K. Kennedy, T. Knox, C. Crook, M. Maffet, B. Cason. 5th Row: J. Smith, D. Martin, L. Roberts, T. Brewer, R. Moore. 6th Row: R. Saffold, S. Dobbs, D. Spence, S. Strickland, T. Maner, D. Rodriguez, C. Hart, J. Clark, M. Bryant, J. Fleming, M. Johnson, S. Hanna, C. Ball. 7th Row: P. Howie, S. Cochran, T. White, J. Simmons, C. Burris, G. Dial, S. Conley, R. Ball, C. Scott, T. Lane, K. Deramus. 8th Row: E. Bishop, W. Reaves, R. Lindley, E. Bowman, S. Watts, P. Thomas, A. McLeroy, J. Teaford, H. Clay, M. Storey.

DOD



CLASS REPRESENTATIVES, 1st Row: Lori Doyle, Kay Morrow, Michelle Starkey, Terry Hawkins. 2nd Row: Matt Smith, Brett Benefield, Tarsha Knox.

*Future  
Business  
Leaders  
of  
America*



**OFFICERS  
EXECUTIVE BOARD  
ADVISORY BOARD**



Future Business Leaders of America is a national organization which provides opportunities for the development of students in business and community life as well as in social maturity. The Oxford High Chapter of FBLA seeks to accomplish these goals through participation in district and state competitions and local community projects.

Our goal is to develop competent, aggressive, business-people, strengthen our confidence in ourselves, create an interest and understanding of the American Enterprise system, and encourage the development of the individual.

*Angie Christopher*

Angie Christopher,  
President

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## **TRAINING . . . ON THE JOB!**



First Row: Y. Bailey, D. Ball, K. Greene, G. Dixon, L. Butts, T. McCracken, C. Helmuth, C. Day, S. Watson. Second Row: L. Carroll, M. Lay, A. Smith, S. Ramsey, S. Sparks, M. Chitwood, B. Carter, K. Brown, S. Davis, Sponsor: Mr. Jack Grizzard. Third Row: M. Livingston, K. Warcop, L. Owen, S. Ireland, L. Carroll, V. Cates, D. Adams, T. Carroll, R. Goodson. Fourth Row: J. Signer, M. Major, S. Fuaghn, B. Buchannon, J. Strickland, S. Moore, R. Nelson, B. Edwards, L. Searcy, S. Oliver.

## OFFICERS

T. Carter, J. Kemp



## OFFICERS

G. Dixon, J. Strickland



First Row: S. Mosher, A. Porter, V. Holiday, V. West, T. Derusha, A. Leemaster, B. Pilkington, J. Webber, W. Worthey, D. Gilmore, K. Nelson. Second Row: M. Lackey, L. Brunton, C. Robinson, A. Hamlin, F. Greenwade, T. West, T. Johnson, P. Henry, A. Bussey, Sponsor: Mr. Johnney Austin. Third Row: D. Burrage, E. Phillips, C. Holifield, L. Hollis, D. Middlebrook, J. Franklin, A. Kemp, B. Bedford, V. Clay, P. Watson. Fourth Row: S. Pruett, T. Carroll, A. Forbes, D. Blair, D. Dempsey, R. Tyree, R. Ball, C. Cofield, A. Willingham, P. Reynolds, T. Carter, D. Miller, C. Bailey.

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## STATE COMPETITION



District Winners  
Fast Foods  
Chris Robinson  
Dusty Adams  
Food Marketing  
Ronnie Worthy  
Steve Faughn  
General Merchandising  
Shane Davis  
General Marketing  
Ronnie Ball  
Youlanda Bailey  
Kandy Warcop  
Petroleum  
Todd Carter  
Chris Bailey  
Advertising  
Debra Gilmore  
Teresa McCracken  
Mike Chitwood  
Apparels & Accessories  
Patrick Reynolds  
Finance & Credit  
David Miller  
Sherry Mosher  
Mike Major

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Ronnie Ball  
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Todd Carter  
Advertising  
Debra Gilmore  
Mike Chitwood  
Others  
Apparel & Accessories  
Lisa Brunton  
Food Marketing  
Shay Ramsey  
General Merchandising  
Francine Greenwade  
Leigh Hollis  
Petroleum  
Charles Cofield

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# VOCATIONAL INDUSTRIAL



## VICA OFFICERS

Row 1: C. Kelley — President, L. Hazel — Vice-President, K. Pettus — Secretay, W. Vice-Treasurer, F. Patton — Parliamentarian, T. Harris — Reporter, Row 2: Executive Council — M. Burdett, K. Shropshire, Mr. Berryhill — Sponsor, J. Stewart, G. Gaines, T. Taber.

## TRADE & INDUSTRIAL

Row 1: J. Rimel, K. Shropshire, K. Burnham, K. Pettus, S. Bradford, LR. Young, K. Ridley, M. Embry — Sponsor. Row 2: M. Medland, K. Baker, M. Taylor, M. Butterworth, J. Herring, R. Robbins, J. Durdin, D. McCormick. Row 3: K. Austin, T. Harris, D. Watts, D. Morrison, R. Knepp, S. Lee, F. Boyd, K. Jones.



## GRAPHIC ARTS

Row 1: W. Holt, A. Buttke, N. Johnson, R. Ray, F. Monday, R. Jones, F. Patton, H. Smith. Row 2: S. Traywick, R. Sherrow, P. Shepard, A. Degner, P. Smith, K. Grizzard, G. Ball, R. Kelley, B. Partridge. Row 3: M. Green, T. Taber, LT. Wilson, R. Thomas, H. McCully, P. Burris, D. Freeman, A. Livingston, R. Gilbert. Row 4: J. Maydole, R. Champion, J. Lindblom, M. Taylor, S. Allinder, E. Reaves, M. Dishman, C. Humphries, F. Caver. Row 5: Mr. Berryhill — Sponsor, B. Borders, C. Kelley, B. Ray, J. Pearson, B. Marable, W. Bradford, J. Cox, R. Hill.

# PREPARING FOR LEADERSHIP

# CLUBS OF AMERICA

## THE VICA PLEDGE

Upon my Honor, I pledge to prepare myself by diligent study and ardent practice to become a worker whose services will be recognized as honorable by my employer and fellow workers.

To base my expectations of reward upon the solid foundation of

service.

To honor and respect my vocation in such a way as to bring repute to myself.

And further, to spare no effort in upholding the ideals of the vocational industrial clubs of America.



## WELDING

Row 1: B. Calhoun, J. Freeman, R. Chandler, J. Stewart, K. Britt, C. Lumpkin, A. Smith, T. Bonner.  
Row 2: L. Cloud, N. Wilkerson, J. Poore, W. Vice, D. Payton, B. Gargus. Row 3: M. Mackey, J. Green, M. Jones, B. Robertson, B. Hurst, J. Turner, S. Payton, Mr. Pascal — Sponsor.



## AUTO BODY

Row 1: R. Malone, C. Warneke, J. Moore, S. McCurdy, C. McCracken, M. POnds, B. Lambert, G. Gaines, S. Truit, D. Poe, E. Harbin.  
Row 2: M. Bain — Sponsor, B. Freeman, B. Downey, S. Waugh, L. Hazel, J. McConathy, C. Findley, C. Chastine, T. Loyd, S. Pouge, D. Setliff, B. Lipham, D. Findley, G. Mason, J. Abbott. Row 3: J. Britton, C. Denson, K. Roberts, M. Burdett, E. Mahaffey, A. Warren, T. Cash, J. Stallings, T. Key, R. Shears, S. Payne, G. Abbott, E. Stovall, M. Osburn, B. Porter.

# IN THE WORLD OF WORK

# MATH TEAM



Row 1: S. Buchanan, K. Morgan, B. Freeman. Row 2: G. Whittle, M. Shaw, D. Miller, E. Trull.

## "IT ALL ADDS UP"

The Math Club is not just for the mathematical elite. It's a club who welcomes all who have completed or are currently taking Algebra II, Pre-Calculus, or Physics. The purpose of the Math Club is to develop skills, leadership and citizenship that will be useful regardless of occupation.

The Math Club encourages team participation in tournament events. We presently have teams in Algebra I, Algebra II, and Pre-Calculus.

# MATH CLUB



Row 1: B. Moore, M. Andrews, S. Rinehart, C. Prestridge, S. Harris, K. Morgan, M. Holmes, Britton, Mr. Bennett — Sponsor. Row 2: G. Whittle, B. Padgett, S. Buchanan, D. Miller, E. Trull, J. Lee, J. Arensmyer, C. Andrews, B. Freeman, M. Shaw.



HOSA OFFICERS, L to R: Christine Clark, Andre Baxter, Rachel Minter, Jeanna Butts, Amanda Gaines, Terri Roberts, Mike Saumure, Missy Truitt.

# HOSA — A Heartwarming Experience

HOSA is Health Occupation Students of America. The members of HOSA are a dedicated group that help the community and the school throughout the year. They help organize the yearly blood drive here at the school and aided by their sponsor, Mrs. Ann Fisher, visit different hospitals and doctor's offices during the year. The persons of HOSA take the course because they would like to continue pursuing a medical career when they graduate from Oxford high school. The members of HOSA can truly say that "The hands of HOSA mold the health care of tomorrow."



Mrs. Ann Fisher

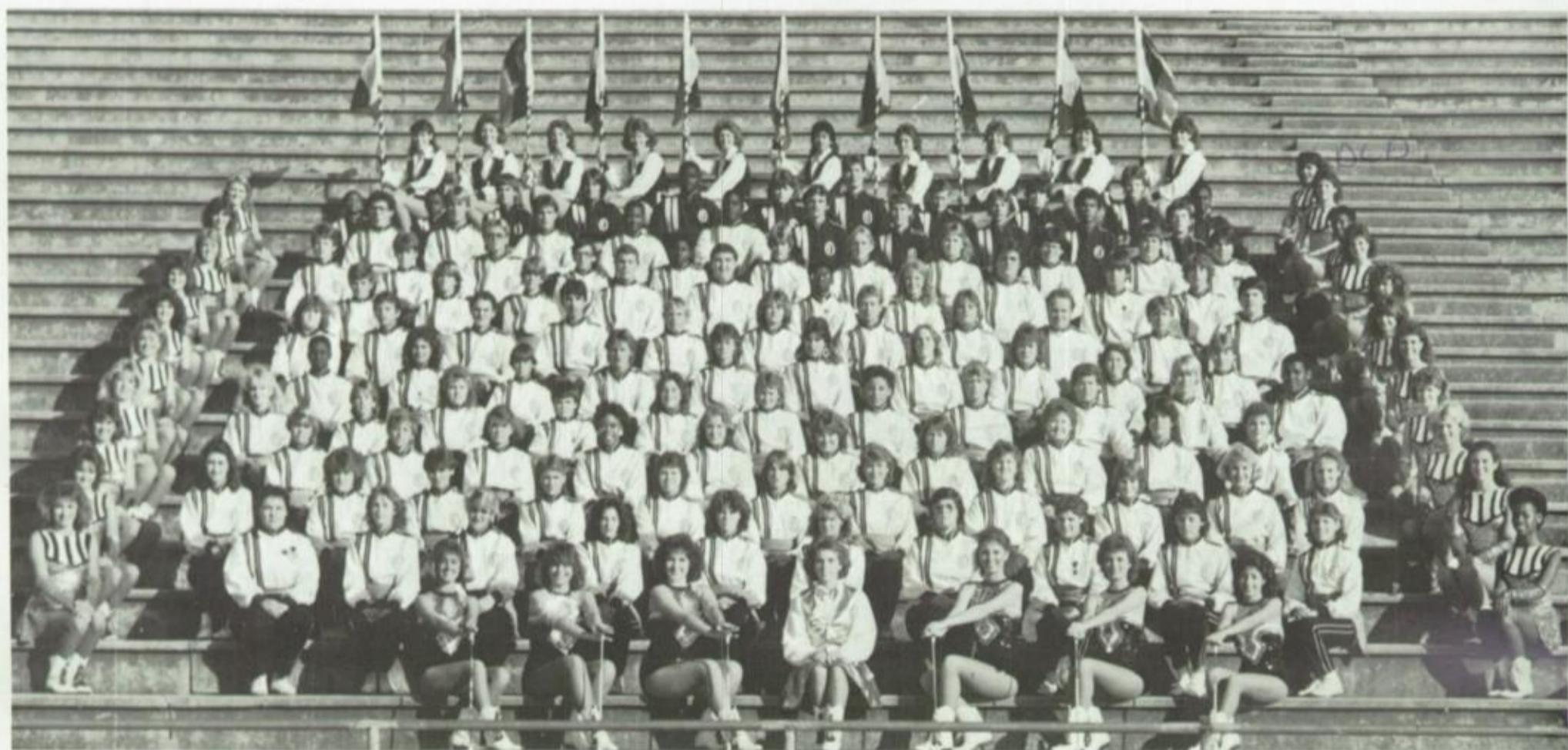


Front Row, L to R: Tonya Perry, Teri Roberts, Terri Williamson, Felicia Taylor, Amanda Gaines, Tammy Payton, Cathy Gardner, Judy Cupo. 2nd Row: Kelly Warren, Christie Clark, Gina O'Kelley, Regina Changler, Krista Henry, Leigh Ann Jackson, Katrina Stansell, Allison Williams, Missy Truitt, Traci Snow. 3rd Row: Mike Saumure, Rachel Minter, Shannon Perry, Kelly Cobb, Jeanna Butts, Jeanine Robertson, Michelle Towns, Lisa Ridley, Marilyn Lecroy, Lana Holmes, Donna Waldon, Stacy Costantino, Shannon Morris, Andre Baxter.

"The hands of HOSA mold  
the health care of  
tomorrow."

*Feel  
the  
Beat ...*

# OXFORD YELLOW JACKET MARCHING BAND



For reaching new "heights" ...



And for all your hard knocks ...



OHS Band ...

*this  
one's  
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# DIRECTORS

No band is complete without a director. Our band is lucky enough to have two of the best directors anywhere. Not only do they plan all of the fieldshows for the football season, but they transform these teenage music makers into concert greats. The Oxford High School Marching Band is one of the top bands of this county. This is partly because of their fine directors. Mr. Barker and Mr. Underwood; This One's For You.



# LEADERS

Left to Right:

Shawn Buchanan — Trombone  
Chris Smith — Trumpet  
Wayne Holt — Drums  
David Skeen — Tuba  
Mike Robert — Saxophone  
Daniel Pesnell — Baritone  
Pat Ware — French Horn  
Tracy Jackson — Trumpet  
Terri Williamon — Flags  
Shannon Hall — Golden Girls  
Kim Butler — Drum Majorette  
Christi McCarty — Majorettes  
Kathy Morgan — Flutes  
Lynn Beckman — Clarinets



# OFFICERS

Band Captain — Jeff Hyatt  
Vice-President — Chris Smith  
Secretary — Tracy Jackson  
Librarian — Kim Butler  
Treasurer — Dee Zimmerman  
Quartermasters — Shawn Buchanan  
and  
Kathy Morgan

# They Play, But . . .





It Doesn't Show!

# CHOIR 'NOTE' ABLE SUCCESS



Traditionally the schedule for Robed Choir included preparation for the Christmas and Spring Concerts as well as competition, to achieve the perfection the Oxford Choirs are known for BUT the most memorable event of 1985 would have to be when Robed Chor went caroling through the school. As we sang popular Christmas carols it brought back to the school some Christmas cheer that seemed to be missing.

In all the 1985-1986 school year will be remembered as a year full of tradition as well as the unconventional.



## ROBED CHOIR

1st Row: Diane Simms, LeAnn Hatten, Laura Husley, Tonya Huff, Spence Allinder, Barney Turner, Shane Luker, Kyle Macoy, Andy McCall, Lee Baughn, Shelia Boyd, Peggy West. 2nd Row: Traci Deese, Christi Livingston, Cindy Johnson, Michelle Pieper, Brian Meddars, Eric Reaves, Pat Craton, Randy Burrage, Charles McCracken, Mike Townsend, Yolanda Nelson, Melissa Simpson, Penny Day, Tawana Ellis. 3rd Row: Brenda Prater, Paula Kubasiak, Gina Turner, Belinda Akles, Gidget Barker, Jennifer Niblett, Steven Waits, Doug Champion, Scott Reaves, Steve Raughton, Bruce Britton, Charlett Moore, Judy Thagard, Amanda Gaines, Kelly Adams, Holli McCulley. 4th Row: Amy Williams, Dyonvia Hubbard, Lynn Houck, Traci Embry, Ann Kimsey, Melissa Johnson, Tim Cash, Keith Harmon, Rickey Miller, Andy Williams, Andre Baxter, Ed Brown, Donte McGrue, Stacy Britt, Krista Henry, Debbie Clayton, Jada Vice.



LADIES ENSEMBLE



ACCOMPANISTS



GIRLS' CHORUS



SENIOR ENSEMBLE



# WITH A SONG IN THEIR HEARTS



FRESHMAN CHOIR



BEGINNER CHOIR



FRESHMAN ENSEMBLE



JUNIOR ENSEMBLE



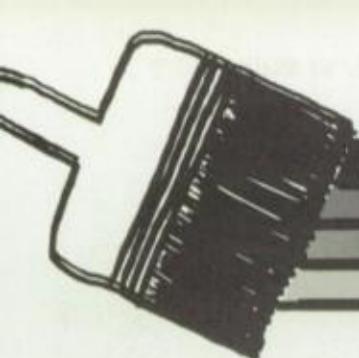
OFFICERS



# FOR ALL We Do . . . This One's for US!



1986 YELLOW JACKET STAFF, 1st Row: Jennifer Pettus, Laurie Bell, Christy Prestridge, Mr. Robbins — Taylor Publishing Representative, Susan Harris, Angie Christopher — Editor, Mrs. Nelson — Sponsor. 2nd Row: Angelle Sonier, Michelle Pieper, Staci Rinehart, Amy Denson, Jennifer Nibblet, Lynn Houck — Business Manager. 3rd Row: Mark Brady, Faith Woodruff, Jerri Owens.



# Always On the Scoop

## STINGER



1st Row: R. Trimble, J. Flummer, P. Lacher, J. Barnett, A. Moore, R. Martin. 2nd Row: T. Perry, N. Mooneyham, K. Huffaker, M. King, M. Wigley, Sponsor, M. Cook, E. Harrell, A. Williams, D. Hodnett. 3rd Row: E. Sartin, M. Shaw, C. Abernathy, B. McCormick, G. Wittle. Not Pictured: C. Haynes, A. Lang.



Michael Cook — Editor-in-Chief

For STINGER, the 1985-86 school year was one of maturation. It saw a return to traditional views and also an introduction of new ideas. It also witnessed the meshing of twenty-two talented students into one of the most productive STINGER Staffs ever. To Graphic Arts, to our supporters and sponsors, to the staff and Ms. Wigley — Thank you.

MICHAEL  
Cook

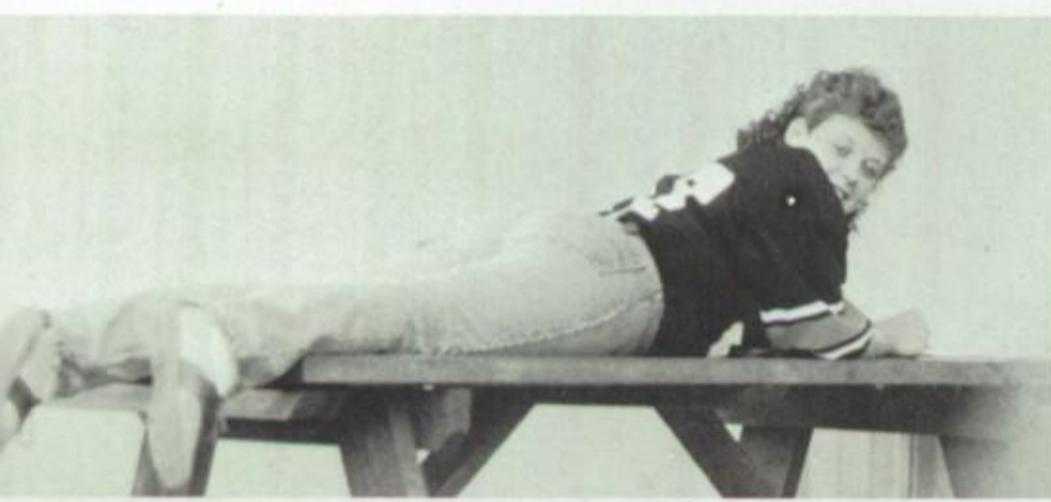
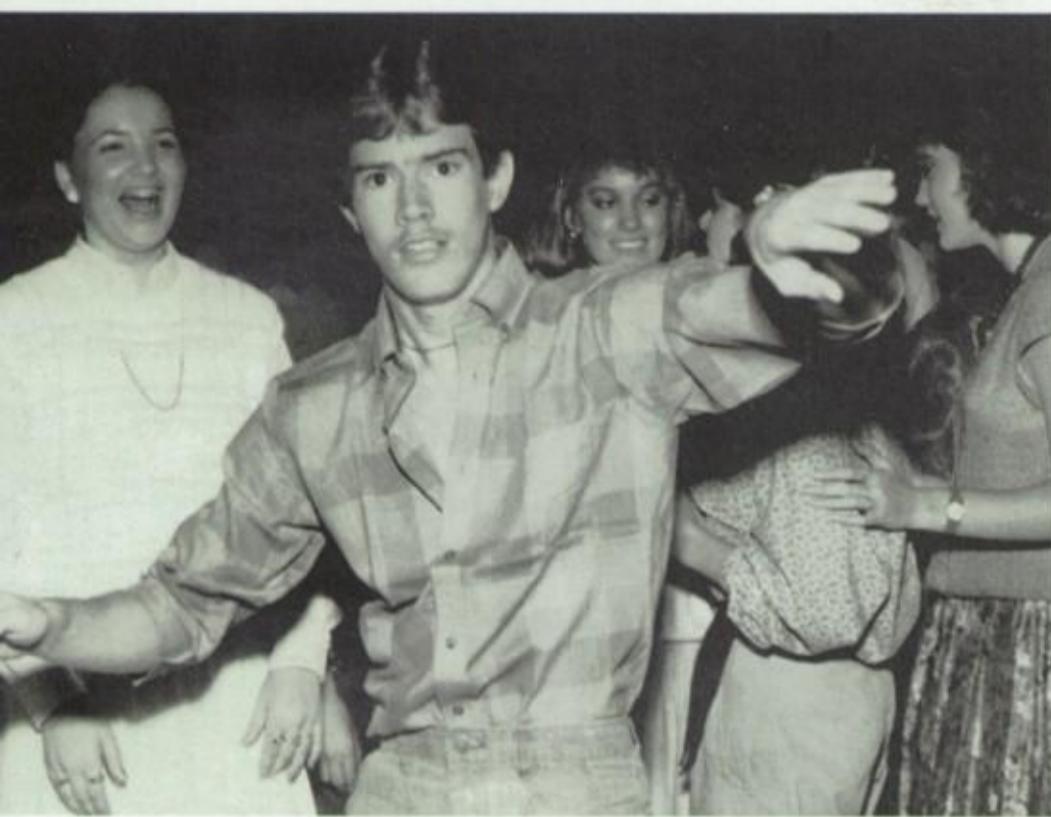


OFFICERS: E. Sartin, C. Abernathy, B. McCormick, M. King.

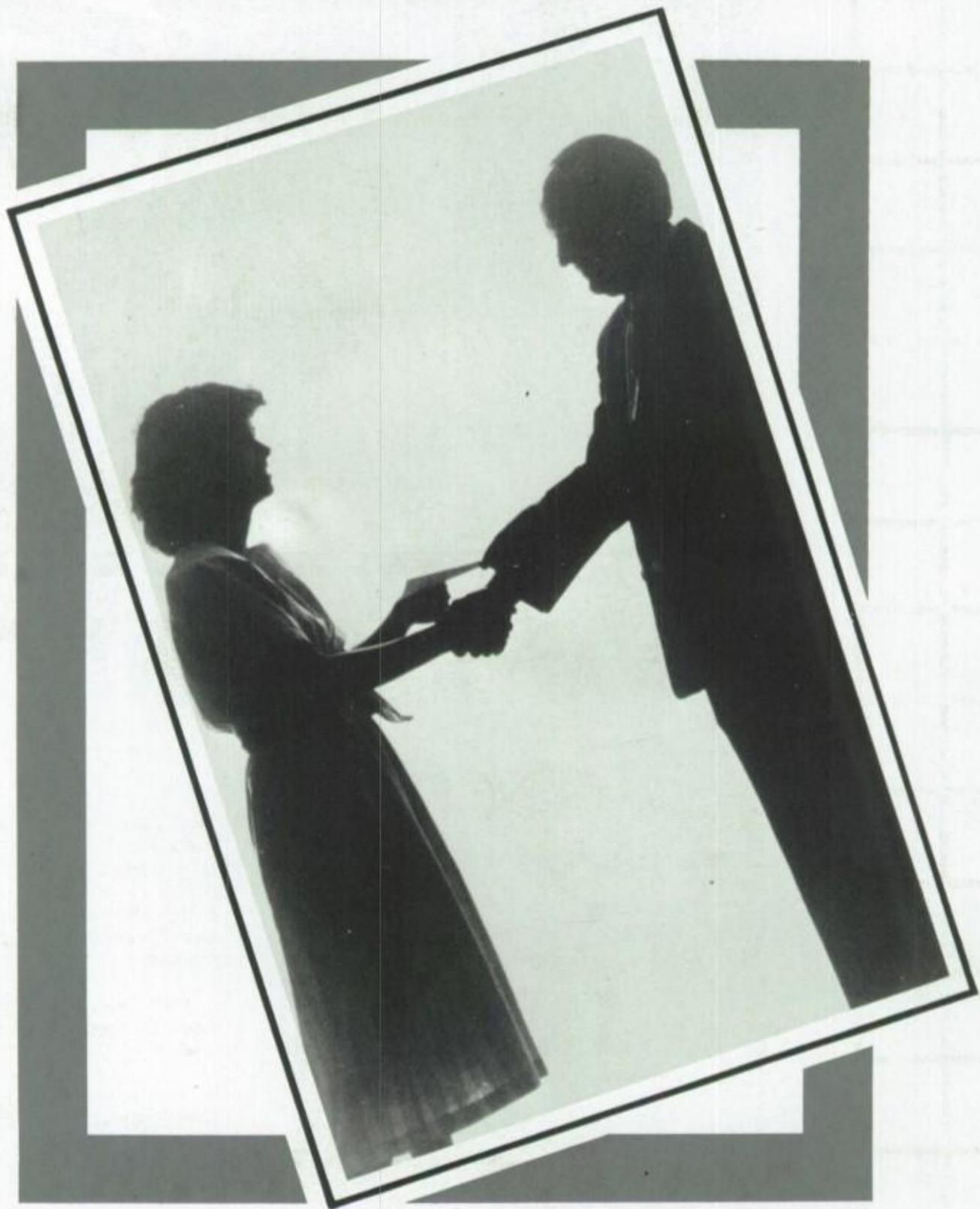


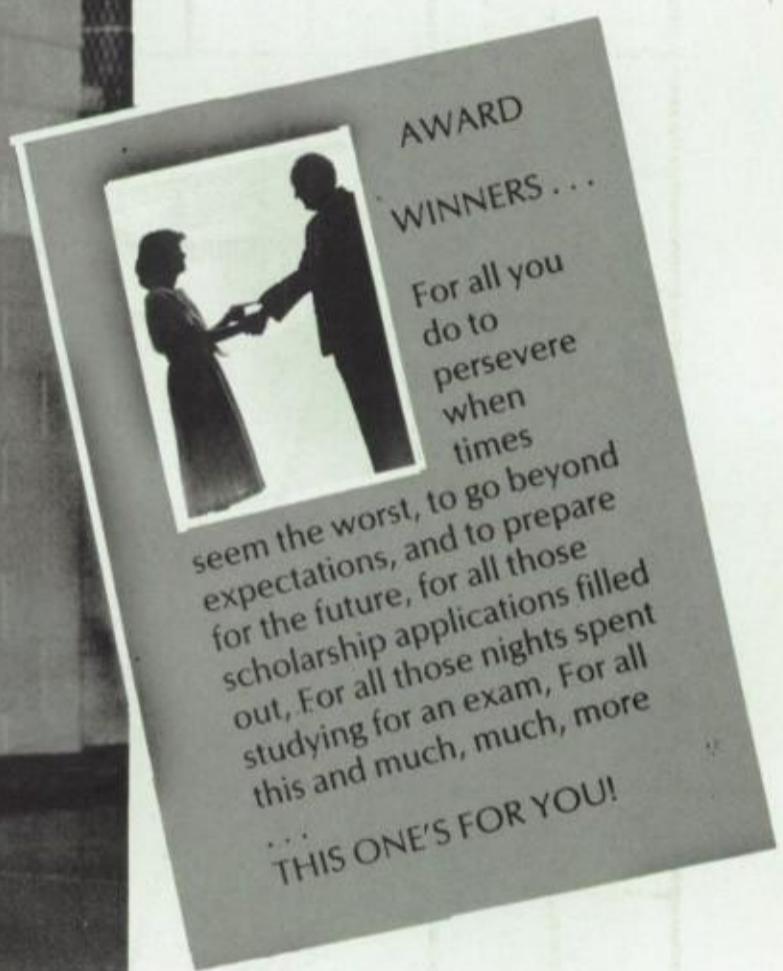
SENIORS: B. McCormick, R. Martin, M. Cook, M. Shaw, G. Whittle.

# SIGHTS AND SOUNDS OF OXFORD HS



# AWARDS





Todd Loyd and Beth Rice walked away with Cutest at Who's Who.

Kathy Morgan was the top award winner at the awards program.

If there was an award for silliness, these girls would win!

It's easy to see why our OHS cheerleaders are ranked 5th in the Nation . . . SPIRIT!



# MR. AND MISS OHS



Gordy Adams and Lagina Henson

## JR. HIGH MR. AND MISS OHS



Warren Reaves and Wendy Stewart

## Mr. and Miss FBLA



Lynn Houck and Lee Baughn

## MR. AND MISS FHA



Terri Hawkins and Chad Allinder

# WHY BE NORMAL? 86

Cynthia Lee



Lagina Henson



## Beauties

Jeanna Butts



# WHY BE NORMAL?

Jeanna Butts



Glenn Ball  
Barney Turner



Angela Bailey



Steven Waits  
Sonia Strong

## M<sub>O</sub>st P<sub>O</sub>pular



Jeff  
Knight

Penny  
Grizzard

## M<sub>o</sub>st F<sub>u</sub>n L<sub>O</sub>ving



Tim  
Brown

Pam  
Setliff

## B<sub>e</sub>st A<sub>ll</sub> R<sub>O</sub>und



Shannon Hall



Rowan Bussey

## Best Class Spirit



Brad  
Edwards

Tawanna  
Ellis

## Most Attractive



Jeff  
Rimel

Melissia  
Johnson



Faith Woodruff

## Best Personality



Doug Champion

### Most Typical



David  
Norton

Kara  
Witkowski

### Most Talented



Krista  
Shropshire

Keith  
Harmon

### Best Dressed



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Lee Baughn

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Lynn Hock Chris Kelley

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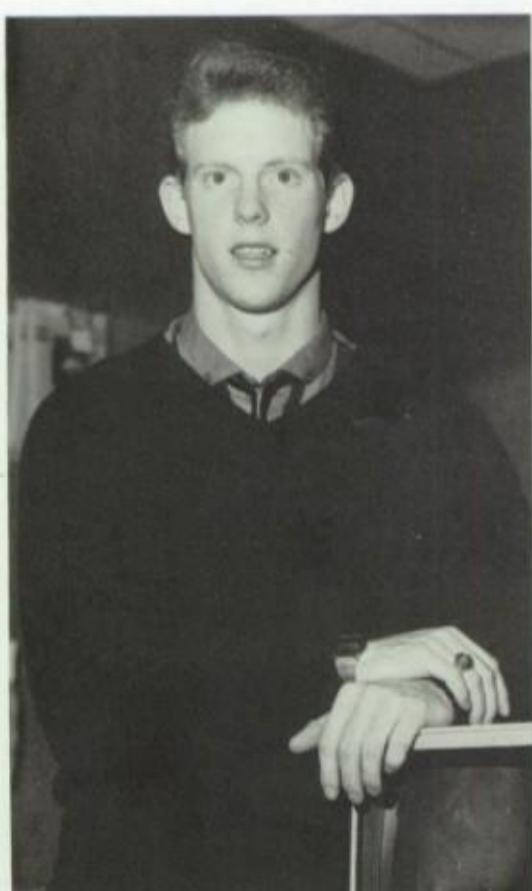


Rachel Young



Anthony Garner

## Most Studious



Mark Shaw



Alison Lee Master



Donna Grizzard



Cindy Stewart

## FAVORITES



Ramonia Gilbert and Antonio Forbes



Cindy Stewart and Chuck Holcombe



Donna Grizzard, Pat Craton, Jake Parker

WHY  
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Gina Pierce and Matthew Livingston

*love ya!*

CUTEST



Shelly Norton and Wally Purdy

MOTOR MOUTH



BEST PERSONALITY

Traci Embry and Mark Marable

MOST ATHLETIC



Amy Williams and Chris Finley



Ted Darby

## MOST STUDIOUS



Jenny Brewer



Tracy Jackson

## BEST CLASS SPIRIT



Anne Degner and Steven Landers

## BEST DRESSED



Patrick Reynolds and Angelle Sonnier

## OUR OWN OPTIONS

Plan ahead. Don't wait until the last minute. As students, we took advantage of these cliches in courses which prepared us for our future careers. We were fortunate that for just about any profession we decided to pursue, there was some kind of preparatory class to help us get a head start. From welding to commercial sewing, the courses were ours for taking.



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Ray Whiteside

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Gina Turner  
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Kristy King



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Patrick Cheatwood



Kim Day

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Kristy Screws



Kristie Greene



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Todd  
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NORMAL?



Kerri Jenkins



Allison Greene  
Jason Jack

EIGHTH GRADE '90

# WHY BE NORMAL?

## FRESHMEN

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Wendy Stewart



Madonna Maffett



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David Fowler



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Michelle Osburn      Scott Baley

## BEST DRESSED



Jenifer Shaddix  
Rob Lindley

## MOST STUDIOS



Beth Cason      Richard Trimble

## MOST ATHLETIC



Ruth Shaw  
Keith McCullough

# HARD — KNOCKS LIFE

The cluttered halls of Oxford High School turned into a real life "General Hospital" as accident prone students "showed what they could do."

The initiation of this elite group was quick but painful. Broken arms and legs, sprained ankles, and pulled ligaments yielded many members.

To all of the victims of crutches, slings, splints, ace bandages, and plaster of Paris, this page is a memorial to the breaks, bruises, cuts, scrapes, and the aches and pains of high school.





*Miss  
Oxford  
Cindy  
Stewart*

*Miss  
Teen  
Shanda  
Petroff*

*Compliments of  
The  
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Anniston ..... 1026 Noble Street  
Gadsden ..... 1519 Rainbow Drive





1st Alternate  
Gina Turner



2nd Alternate  
Kara Witkowski



3rd Alternate  
Chrystal Prestridge



Miss Evening Gown  
Cindy Stewart



Miss Congeniality  
Jenny Brewer



Miss Congeniality  
Teresa Bailey



Miss Evening Gown  
Shanda Petroff



1st Alternate  
Kristy Screws



2nd Alternate  
Krista Henry



3rd Alternate  
Paige Mangham

## SCHOOL AWARDS



1st Row: **A. LeeMaster** — Presidential Academic Fitness Award; **W. Brimer** — See Community Awards; **C. Robinson** — DE; DECA — Restaurant Management; **A. Christopher** — Yearbook Editor; State 4-H President; **L. Houck** — Psychology; Good Citizenship; Choral; **L. Baughn** — Best School Spirit; **T. Roberts** — Health Occupations; **M. Cook** — Stinger Editor; Presidential Academic Fitness Award. 2nd Row: **G. Whittle** — Presidential Academic Fitness Award; **B. McCormick** — BOE; **C. Lee** — Salutatorian; Spanish; Presidential Academic Fitness Award; **S. Ramsey** — DE; **M. Johnson** — Physical Education; **J. Thaghard** — Outstanding Scholar Athletes; **P. Setliff** — See Community Awards; **K. Butler** — Drum Major; **M. Johnson** — Pettus — See Community Awards; **K. Shropshire** — T & I; **M. Chitwood** — DE; **M. Donaldson** — Physical Education; **M. Shaw** — Social Studies; **R. Miller** — Presidential Academic Fitness Award; **D. Gilmore** — DE; DECA; Advertising Services. 4th Row: **D. Miller** — Presidential Academic Fitness Award; **S. Buchanan** — Band; **S. Hall** — See Community Awards; **L. Henson** — Student Council Leader; Balfour Award; **R. Ball** — DECA — General Marketing; **T. Carter** — DECA — Service Station Management; **B. Britton** — Service Award. 5th Row: **D. McCormick** — T & I; **R. Bussey** — See Community Awards; **T. Brown** — Horticulture; **S. Waits** — Choral; **S. Adams** — Best School Spirit Award; **C. Kelley** — Presidential Academic Fitness Award; **K. Roberts** — Auto Body & Fender; **W. Vice** — Welding. 6th Row: **C. Andrews** — Presidential Academic Fitness Award; 3rd Academic; English; **K. Mitchell** — See Community Awards; **R. Martin** — I Dare You Awards; **H. Smith** — Service Award; **F. Patton** — Graphic Arts; **M. Holmes** — Presidential Academic Fitness Award; 4th Academic; Anatomy; Bauch Lomb Science Award; **K. Jones** — See Community Award.

## COMMUNITY AWARDS



1st Row: **A. LeeMaster** — L'Amica Club Award; **K. Pettus** — Europa Club Nursing Scholarship; Pearl Sparks Nursing Scholarship of Pilot International; **L. Henson** — Kiwanis Club Award; **A. Bailey** — Alpha Delta Kappa Sorority Award; **S. Hall** — Willard Young Award; **L. Houck** — DAR Good Citizenship Award; James Hoffman Scholarship — Alabama Baptist St. Convention Scholarship; Judson College Grant; Judson Music Scholarship; **L. Baughn** — Earl Martin Memorial Scholarship. 2nd Row: **T. Jackson** — DAR History Award; **F. Woodruff** — Pilot Club "American Heritage" Award; JSU Alumni Scholarship; **N. Sims** — JSU Faculty Honors Scholarship; Oxford Jr. Womens Club; **A. Christopher** — Lena Y. Meherg Scholarship; **J. Hyatt** — Oxford Memorial Tournament Award; **P. Setliff** — H. T. Stanford Award; **K. Morgan** — Quest Club Valedictory Award; Eastern Star English Award; Dudley Academic Scholarship; Chemical Engineering Scholarship; James Hoffman Scholarship; **R. Young** — Community Service & Leadership Award **M. Cook** — James Hoffman Scholarship; **J. Thaghard** — Judson — 35th Baptist School Scholarship; **M. Chitwood** — New World College of Business Scholarship; **F. Buetto** — Pilot Club Driver Education Award; **M. Shaw** — Gadsden State Frank Helderman Scholarship. 4th Row: **H. Smith** — Community Service & Leadership Award; **B. Prater** — Pilot Club Driver Education Award; **T. Tucker** — Pilot Club Driver Education Award; **B. McCormick** — JSU Faculty Honors Scholarship; **S. Waits** — JSU Acapella Choir Scholarship; JSU Vocal Scholarship; **M. Johnson** — JSU Faculty Honors Scholarship; **R. Miller** — Capt. William Beard Memorial Scholarship; **C. Kelley** — JSU Faculty Honors Scholarship; **R. Bussey** — University of Sc. Miss.; **A. Williams** — JSU Athletic Scholarship.

# GOOD CITIZEN

This year's DAR Good Citizen Award went to Lynn Houck. Lynn was chosen through faculty voting because of her good character, willingness to work and her involvement in extra-curricular activities. To receive this award from the NSDAR, she had to exemplify outstanding qualities of Leadership, Dependability, Service and Patriotism at school and in the community. Lynn is a member of FBLA, yearbook staff, Fellowship of Christian Students, Culberson Hi-Y, choral, volleyball, Sr. Beta and Who's Who. She is also a member of the First Baptist Church of DeArmanville where she is president of the Youth Council and a member of the choir. After graduation, Lynn plans to attend Judson College where she will double major in music and business.

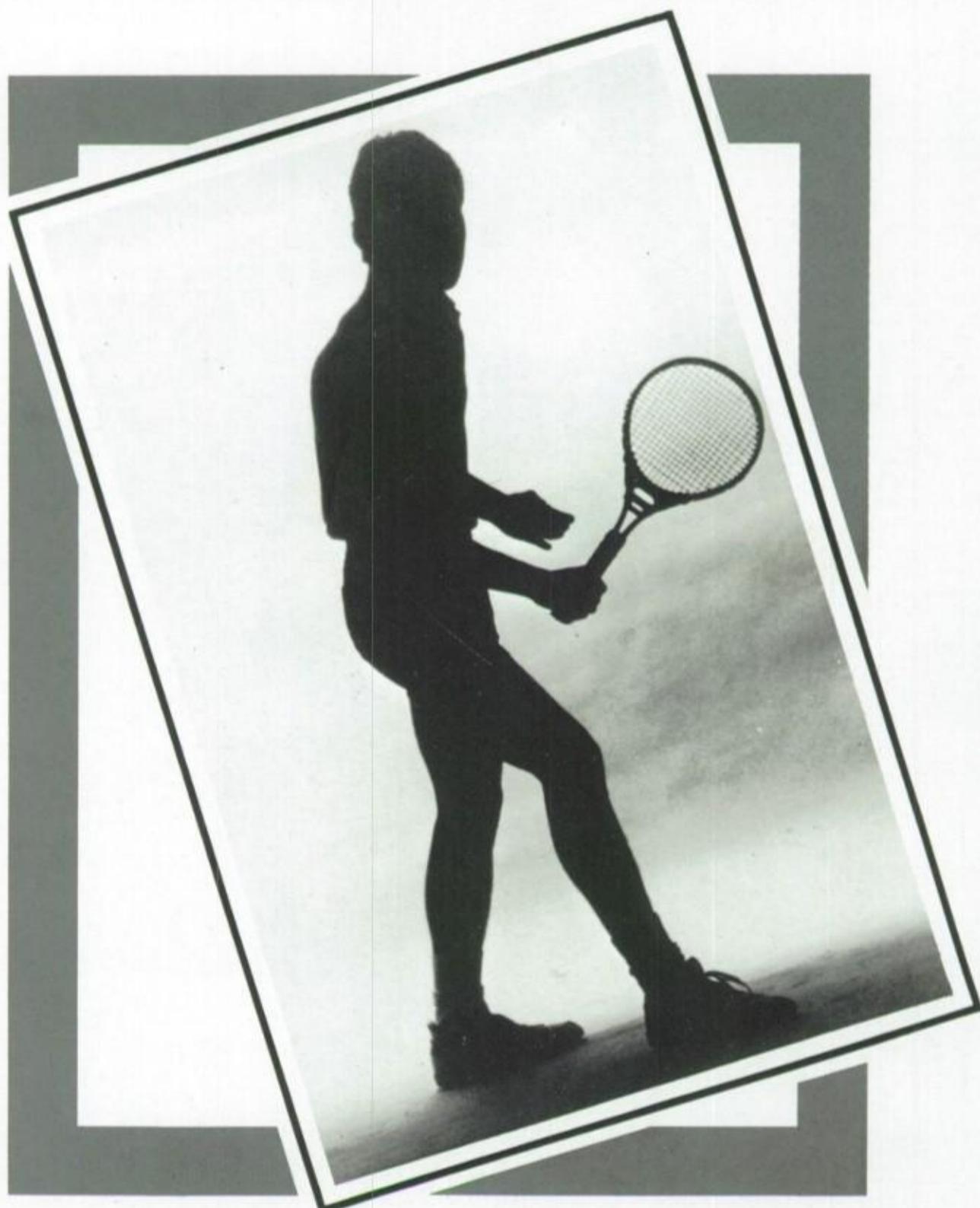


## LYNN HOUCK

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# SPORTS





COMPETITORS . . .  
For all you  
do on the  
court, on the  
field, on the  
track and on  
the course.  
For all the practices' attended  
and competition lost or won,  
broken arms, For all this and  
much, much, more . . .  
**THIS ONE'S FOR YOU!**

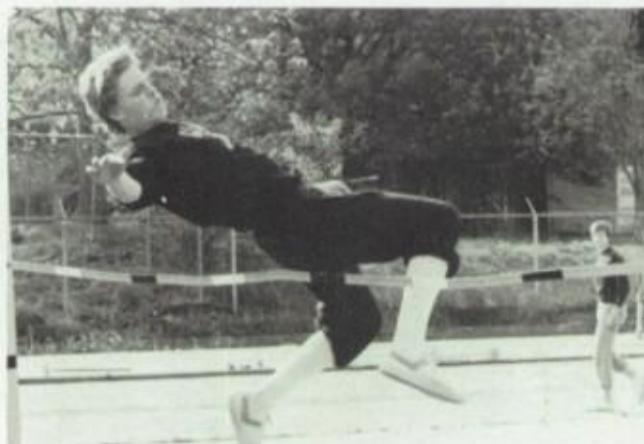


Mona Gilbert jumps up on the rebound.

Donna Grizzard . . . Calhoun  
County's MVP of the year!

Dwayne Gaines, OHS high  
jumper, at a track meet.

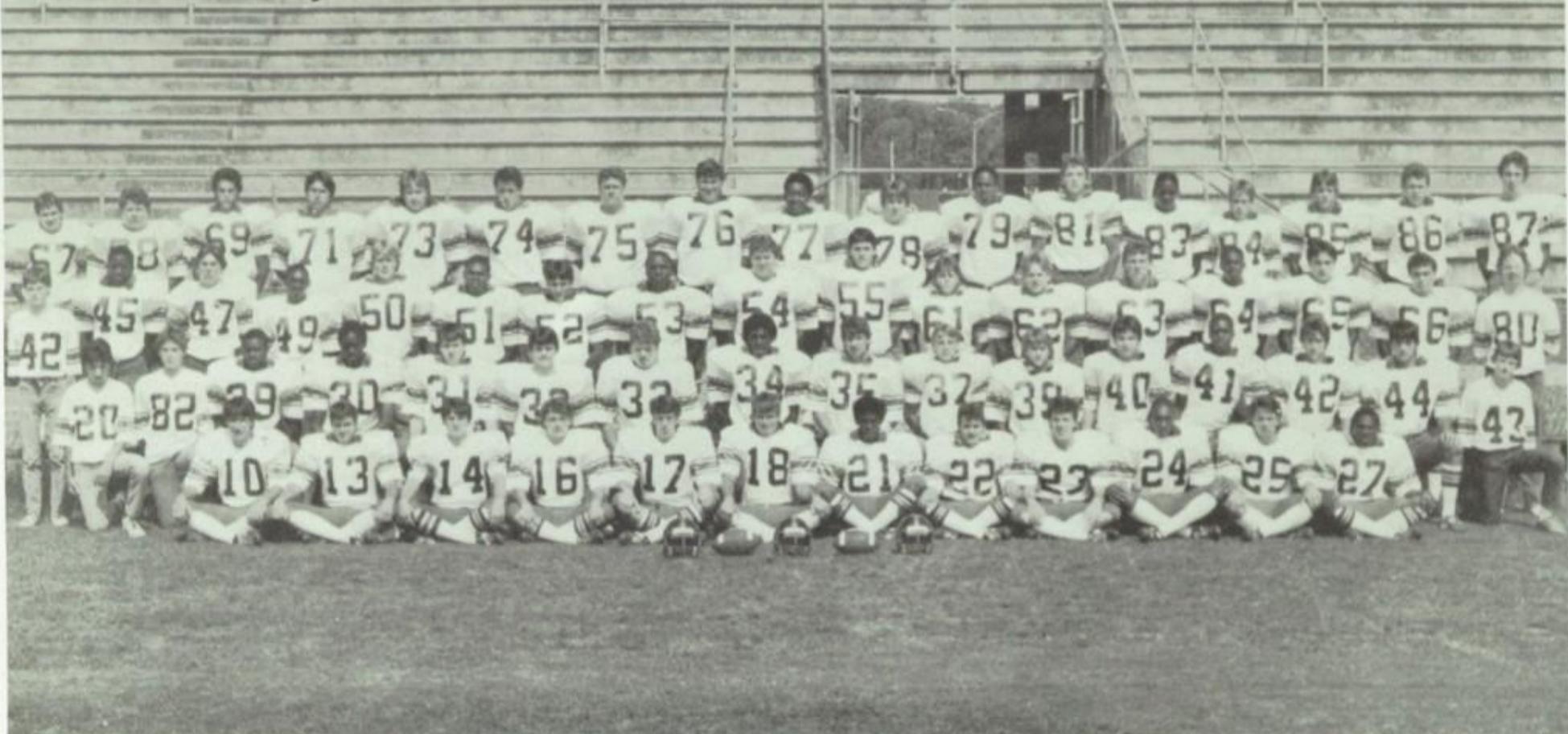
Rony Kelley going for a  
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# MIGHTY JACKETS



1st Row: C. Mancill, E. Stovall, T. Darby, B. Turner, J. Knight, C. Holcombe, R. Kelley, D. Norton, B. Edwards, A. Forbes, G. Adams, C. Humphreys. 2nd Row: E. Reaves, J. McEwen, R. Jones, W. Kelley, S. Waites, D. Dempsey, R. Goodson, T. Kelley, T. Harris, K. Britt, B. Parker, B. Lipham, H. Jones, S. Estes, C. Findley, J. McConathy. 3rd Row: C. Bailey, S. Lee, A. Buttke, A. Forbes, W. Purdy, R. Martin, T. Brown, H. Smith, M. Marable, A. Williams, J. Abbott, L. Baughn, S. Traywick, K. Reid, S. Raughton. 4th Row: K. Harmon, B. Marable, B. Robertson, N. Johnson, P. Shephard, D. Watts, T. Pilkington, R. Bussey, J. Rhoden, B. Medders, B. McCurry, S. Landers, P. Craton, K. Coley, C. Kelley, R. Atkinson.



COACHES: H. Berryhill, T. Ball, R. Herring, C. McCall, T. Britt, W. Livingston, L. Davidson, P. Bain, P. Davis.



Managers: J. McConathy, J. Walker.

## SENIORS



This one's for you team, just to let you know everybody cares about all those times you hung in there. For all the sweat, bruises, and broken bones you suffered. For all the times you stuck in there to make Oxford the best!

This year began with a farewell to Coach Bill Burgess and with a hello to Coach Robert Herring. As anyone can see, Coach Herring brought with him a lot of new ideas. He worked the team hard so that we could have the best football season ever...



Then came the game to decide whether or not the mighty Jackets were going to the state play-offs. It was Senior night and the cold rain came down, but this did not stop them from out playing and out scoring Jacksonville 18-6.

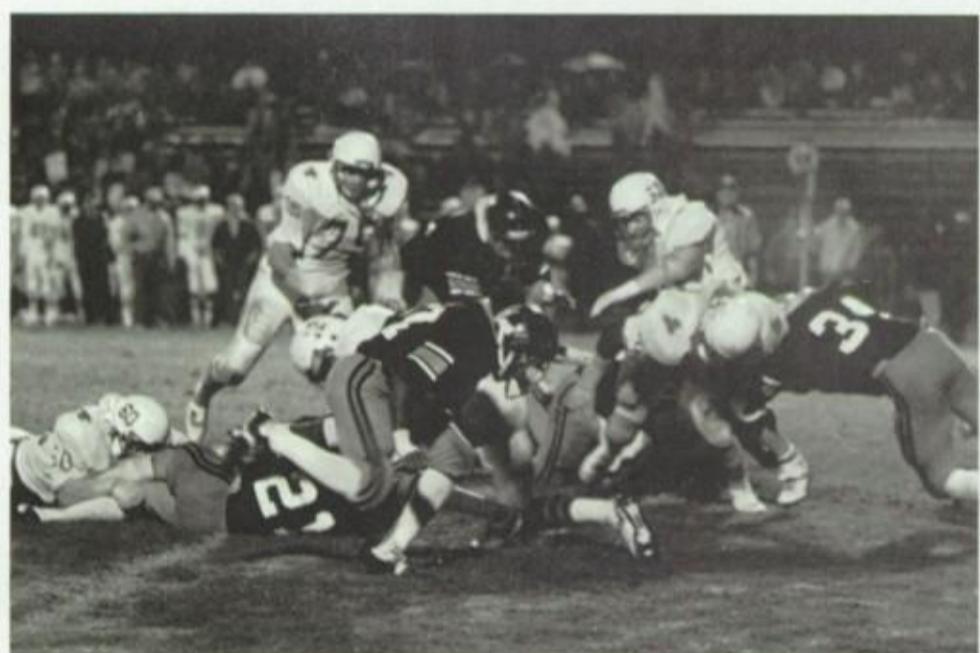
We were now in the state play-offs and came face-to-face with the Gardendale Rockets. Dedicated fans travelled back to Birmingham but only to see Oxford beaten.

It was a tough season of wins and losses. The players played with their heart and soul. We saw seniors come and go. And we saw games won and lost. The cheers from the fans and the tears from the players will always remain in our memories. For all you do ... THIS ONE'S FOR YOU!



The season opened with the Jacket's beating out Woodlawn 14-6. The crowds traveled to Birmingham to see the first game with Coach Herring at the helm. As the game went on, the Jackets' excitement continued, but winning can't go on forever. The Jackets traveled on to Heflin hoping for another win but their hopes were shattered at one of the biggest games of the season. Our team hung in there through the whole game, but the Heflin Tigers went on to win — 14-6.

Homecoming was a breeze. The mighty Yellow Jackets shut out the John Carroll Cavaliers — 32-6.



# OHS

*Senior  
Sponsor  
of*

**1986**



Team Sponsor: Lagina Henson  
Escort: Mike Brunson



Player: Chris Kelley  
Sponsor: Deanna Elkins  
Escort: Dwayne Gaines



Player: Lee Baughn  
Sponsor: Julie Crouch  
Escort: Spence Allinder



Player: Tim Brown  
Sponsor: Pam Setliff  
Escort: David Morrison



Player: Rowan Bussey  
Sponsor: Gina Screws  
Escort: Chris Findley



Player: Andy Buttke  
Sponsor: Andrea Burnham  
Escort: Wayne Vice



Player: Keith Coley  
Sponsor: Michelle McKleroy  
Escort: Chris Randall



Player: Anthony Garner  
Sponsor: Katie Jonikin  
Escort: Doug Champion



Player: Keith Harmon  
Sponsor: Angela Bailey  
Escort: Tim Bailey



Player: Noel Johnson  
Sponsor: Chrystal Prestidge  
Escort: Ken Reid



Player: Bobby Marable  
Sponsor: Allison Kemp  
Escort: Scott Traywick



Player: Ronald Martin  
Sponsor: Rachel Young  
Escort: Fred Caver



Player: James McConathy  
Sponsor: Kelley Kennedy  
Escort: Shane Kennedy



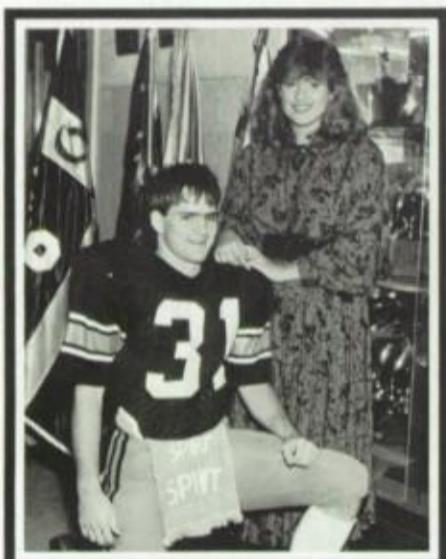
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Sponsor: Tammy Conley  
Escort: Dwight Ball



Player: Tim Pilkington  
Sponsor: Tonya Morgan  
Escort: Shane Adams



Player: David Smith  
Sponsor: Kelly Smallwood  
Escort: Jeff McEwen



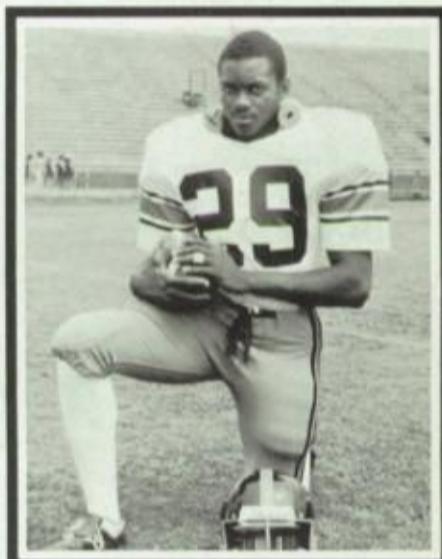
Player: Steven Waites  
Sponsor: Shannon Hall  
Escort: Jeff Rimel



Player: Andy Williams  
Sponsor: Scarlett Williams  
Escort: Sean Hayes



Player: Gordy Adams  
Sponsor: Cheryl Carter  
Escort: Wally Adams



Player: Reginald Jones  
Sponsor: Sherlyn Kelley  
Escort: Dexter Monroe



Player: Rony Kelley  
Sponsor: Michelle Towns  
Escort: Matt Conley



Player: Tony Kelley  
Sponsor: Genise Ball  
Escort: Dwayne Stanford



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Sponsor: Marci Wallace  
Escort: Chris Young



Player: Steve Raughton  
Sponsor: LeAnne Smallwood  
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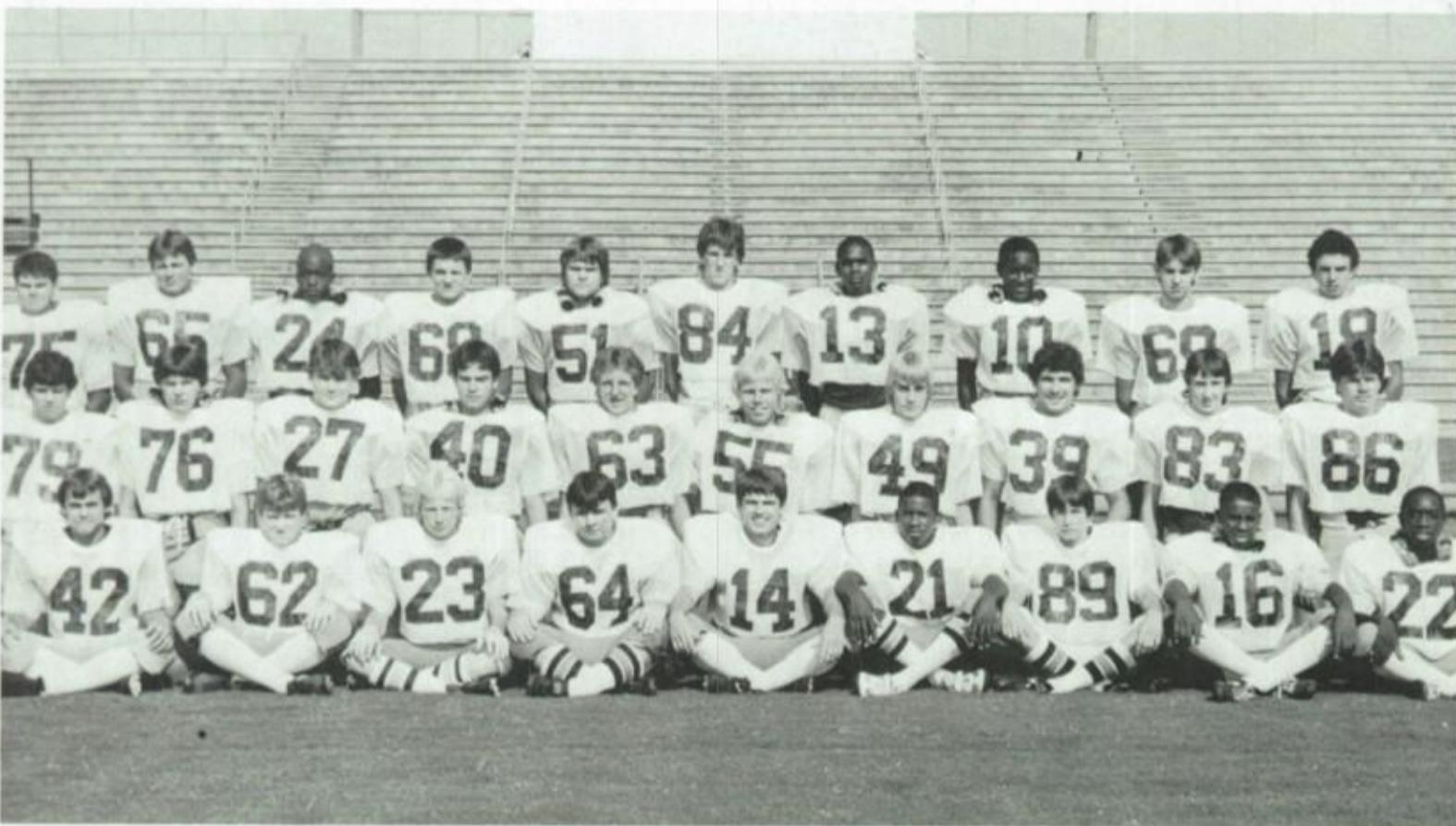


Player:  
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Sponsor:  
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Escort:  
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Norton

Senior sponsor night is a special night for all seniors. On this night senior football players are recognized for their years of hard work. Each senior is asked to choose a girl of their choice to sponsor him. This year we have decided to change tradition and have the sponsor and the player pictured together. Even though the escorts for his year's sponsors are not pictured, we would like to express our appreciation to these young men for their time. We the Yearbook Staff of 1986 would like to wish all seniors GOOD LUCK!!

# HOPES GETTING FULFILLED

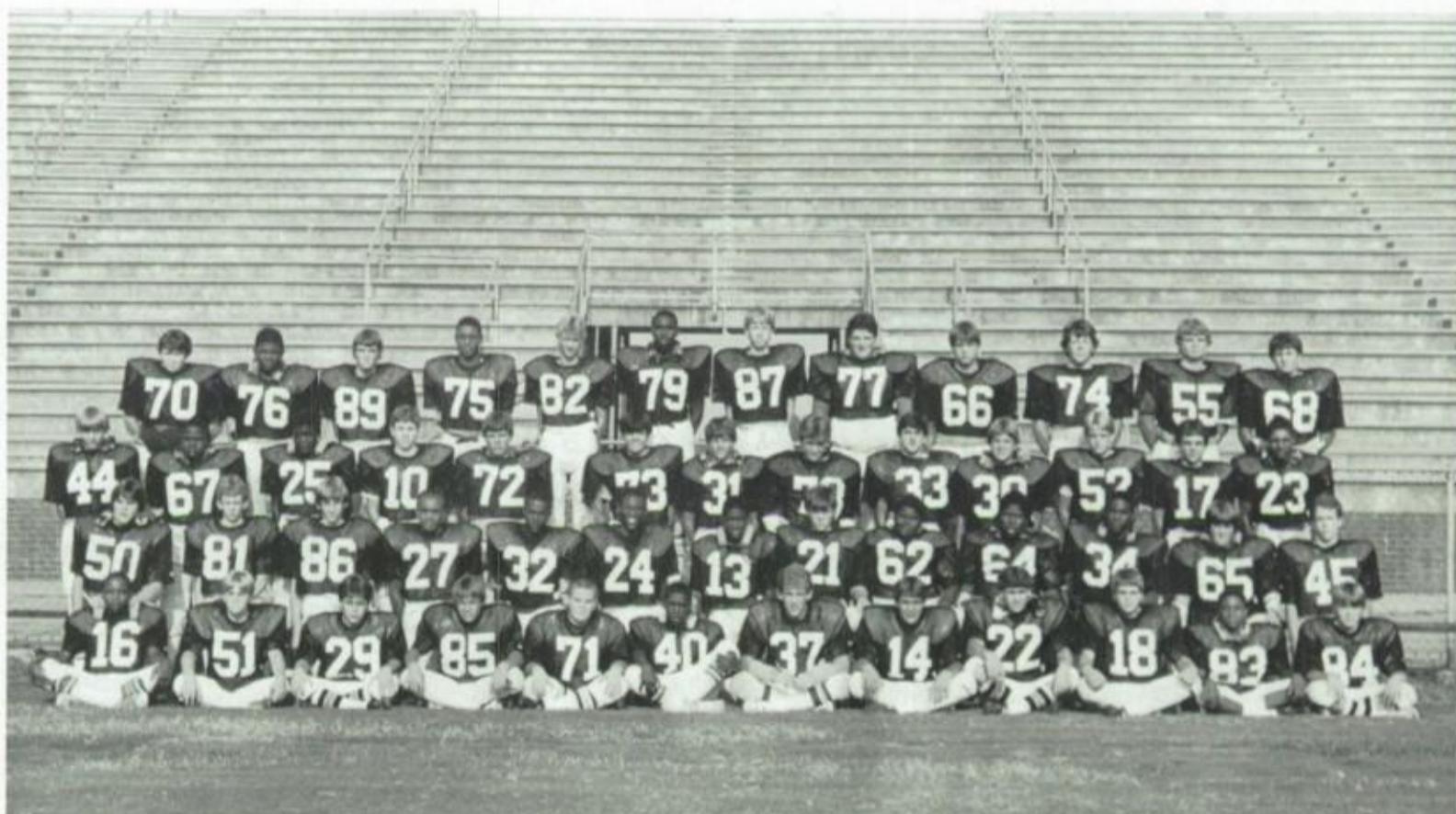
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# B-TEAM



2nd Row: Michelle McKleroy, Shannon Higgins, Stacy Britt, Belinda Akles. 1st Row: Gina Turner, Kim Foy, Tracy Deese.

# VARSITY MEMORIES

Dec. 28-Dec. 31, 1985. These four days we, the Oxford varsity cheerleaders will never forget. Out of 65 squads, representing 37 states in the International Cheerleader Competition our squad placed 5th Runner-up and won a special award for the Best Use of Gymnastics. The excitement and pride we felt can never be adequately expressed with words. Every part of our trip was filled with memories we shall never forget. All the hard work, aches, pains and sacrifices were made worthwhile when we ran up to the stage to receive our awards.

Our motto this season has been "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." We believed this and proved it during those four days in Nashville. We are proud of being from Oxford, Alabama and Jacket Pride will always remain in our hearts.

# JUNIOR HIGH



2nd Row: Kelly Christian, Lisa Moore, Tracy Hickman, Shannon Colfield. 1st Row: Layne Berryhill, Wendy Stewart, Kerri Jenkins, Crissy Buchanan.

# In the Heart of Competition



Penny Grizzard — Head



Angela Bailey — Co-Head



Jeanna Butts



Lagina Henson



Tonya Morgan



Gina Pierce



Gina O Kelly



Melissa Sheppard



Donna Grizzard



Just call me  
Bucky & love  
G.P.



*a  
Touch  
of Class*

# OHS Introduces

## GIRLS' SOFTBALL



The first Softball team at Oxford was really great. Their regular season wins were 11 with only 6 losses. They finished 2nd in regular season standings and 3rd in the County Tournament. *Donna Grizzard* was selected for All County Tournament team, All Section team, the Anniston Star All County team, and she was also voted by the coaches as the County's Most Valuable Player. *Ruth Shaw* was picked All County Tournament and Anniston Star All County team. Banquet Awards went to *Donna Grizzard*, Big Stick Award, for her .667 batting average, 10 homeruns, 36 RBIs, and .903 fielding average; *Melinda Sheppard*, Golden Glove Award, for her .917 fielding average; and *Amy Feltman*, Hustle Award.

Kneeling: L. McDowell, M. Maffet, M. Sheppard, L. Champion, B. Akles, S. Dixon, S. Crump, G. Screws, D. Grizzard, Standing: P. Kubasiak, T. Knox, R. Shaw, K. Harmon, M. Sheppard, K. Burroughs, C. Bonner, A. Feltman.

# WRESTLING with OHS . . .

## Hulk Hogan

### No Less

No less is right! The Hulkster may be a little bigger than these guys, but not better. The Oxford High School Wrestling Team can turn an opponent into a living pretzel faster than anybody around. And why shouldn't they be able to; they have the greatest coach. They wrestle their hearts out, and win or lose get off the mat proud of themselves. They have every right to be; they were Calhoun County Champions and runners-up at Sectionals. They won 12 of their regular season matches and only lost 2. Next time you see the Hulkster or the Human Fly you just remember that they learned all their cute little tricks from the wrestlers at OHS.

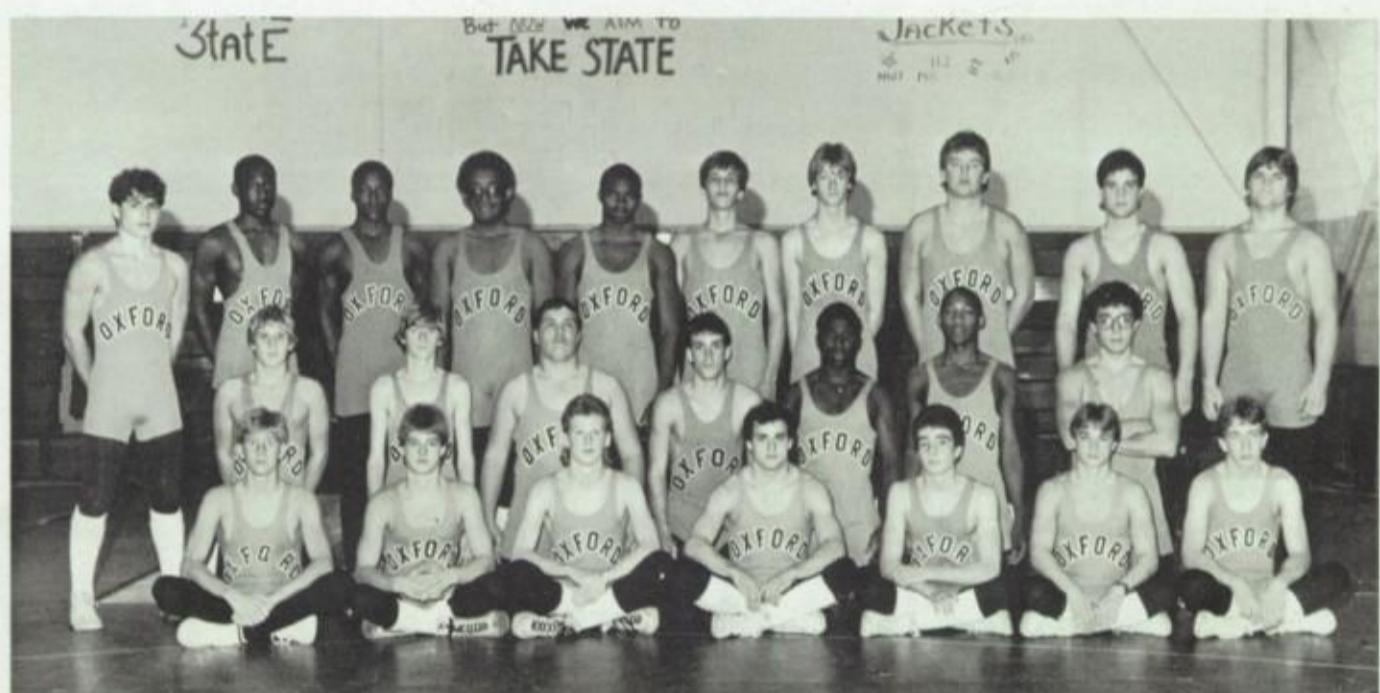


## B-TEAM



Sitting L to R: L. Sanders, S. Vingers, J. Lindblom, D. Norton, S. Garvey, J. Taylor, R. Champion. Kneeling L to R: S. McCarty, J. McConathy, S. Sparks, R. Whotten, C. Humphries, D. Ball, B. Loyd. Standing L to R: B. Nicholson, J. Green, D. Johnson, J. Rhoden, R. Jones, N. Stephon, B. Spence, R. Sherrow, B. Lipham, D. Fendley.

## VARSITY



Sitting: T. Stallings, A. Coley, P. Sheppard. Standing: J. Sherrow, J. Hollingsworth, Q. Jones, B. Westbrook.

## STATE QUALIFIERS

Top to Bottom: 98 lb. James McConathy — Sectional Champ, 126 lb. David Norton — Sectional Champ, 132 lb. Bubba Spence, 138 lb. Dexter Ball — Sectional Runner-up, 145 lb. Demetric Johnson — Sectional Champ, 2nd Place State, 155 lb. Curtis Humphries.

# THIS ONE'S FOR YOU . . .

## OHS WRESTLING CHEERLEADERS

The Wrestling team at Oxford has a cheering squad to be proud of. These girls work very hard to be the best squad in the area. They practice often and it shows if you ever go to a match. The girls, along with their sponsor Mrs. McCall, go to all the matches and even to state competitions. They make signs that decorate the wrestling room walls to show their pride in the team and themselves. Their cheering abilities, grades in school, and their character in general - are the most important factors that Mrs. McCall looks for in her cheerleaders. We often hear that a cheering squad is like a family and these girls fit this description perfectly.



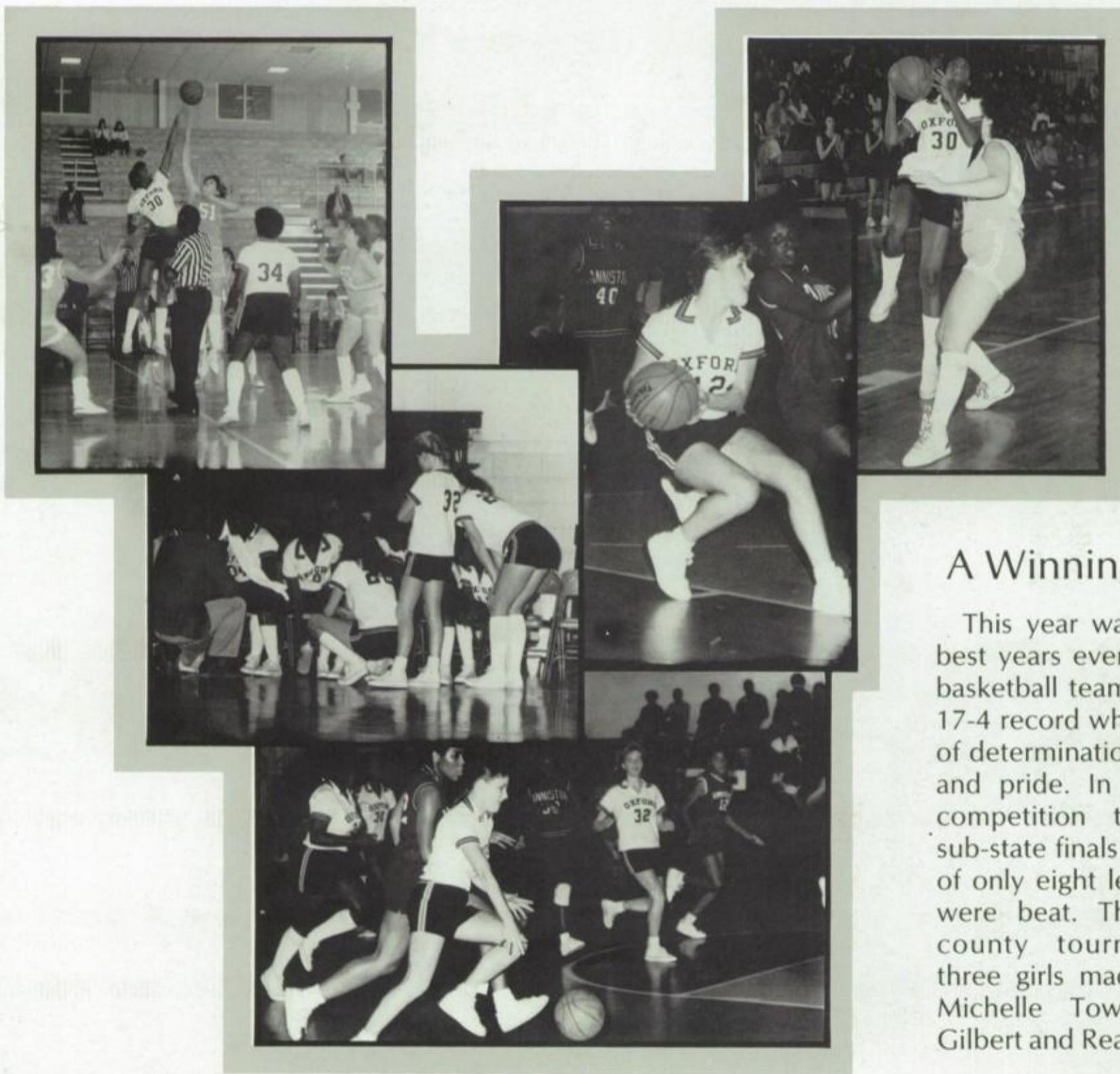
L to R: Nancy Stewart, Vicki McKenzie, Beth Rice, Christi Livingston — Head, Kecia Crow, Traci Embry — Co-Head.



# Dedication, Determination, and Hard Work



T. Randolph, R. Herring, M. Towns, S. Ridley, R. Gilbert, K. Burrough, R. Shaw, R. Young, R. Herring.

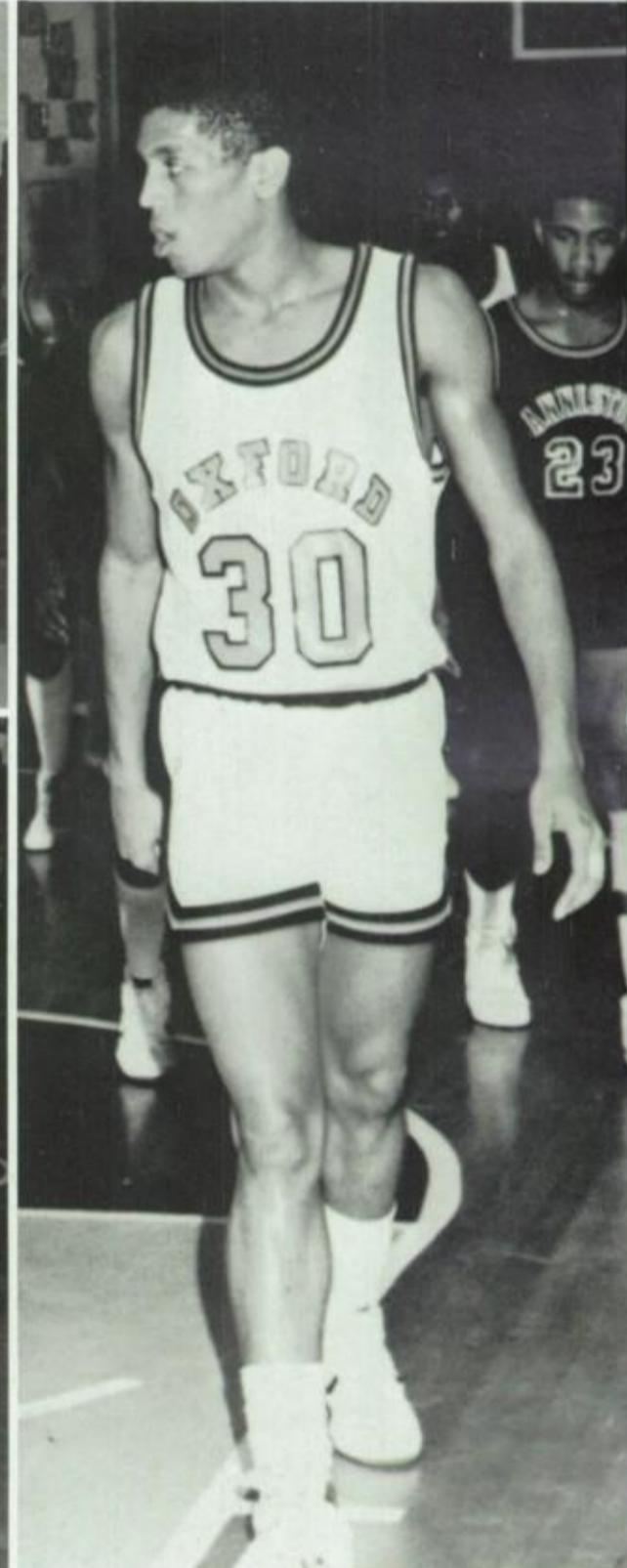


## A Winning Season

This year was one of the best years ever for the girls' basketball team. They had a 17-4 record which took a lot of determination, hard work, and pride. In the Area 12 competition they lost to sub-state finals but were one of only eight left when they were beat. They won the county tournament and three girls made all-county: Michelle Towns, Ramonia Gilbert and Reagan Herring.

# VARSITY BASKETBALL

For the past several years, Oxford has had a powerful basketball team. Overlooked by many of the students, the team is respected and admired all around the county. This year's team was no exception. Each player was challenged to perform at his best in almost every meet. These challenges led to many members breaking personal records. With Coach Davis at the helm, the future of Oxford basketball looks promising.



Federick Patton (above) takes a look at the action during a break as Tony Kelley (far left) calls for the ball. Wendell Kelly (upper middle) lays up 2 points for Oxford as Oxford goes for the win. Glenn Ball (lower middle) gets ready to pass.

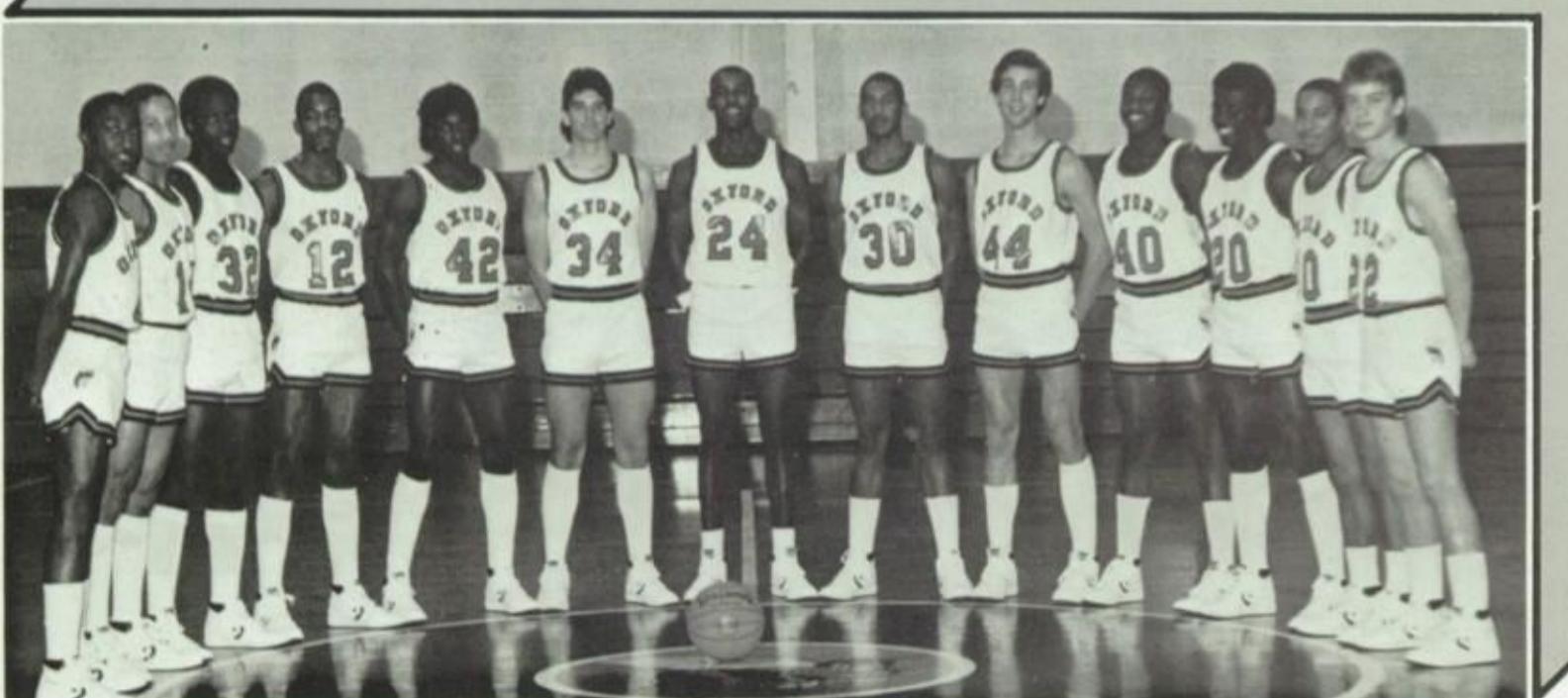
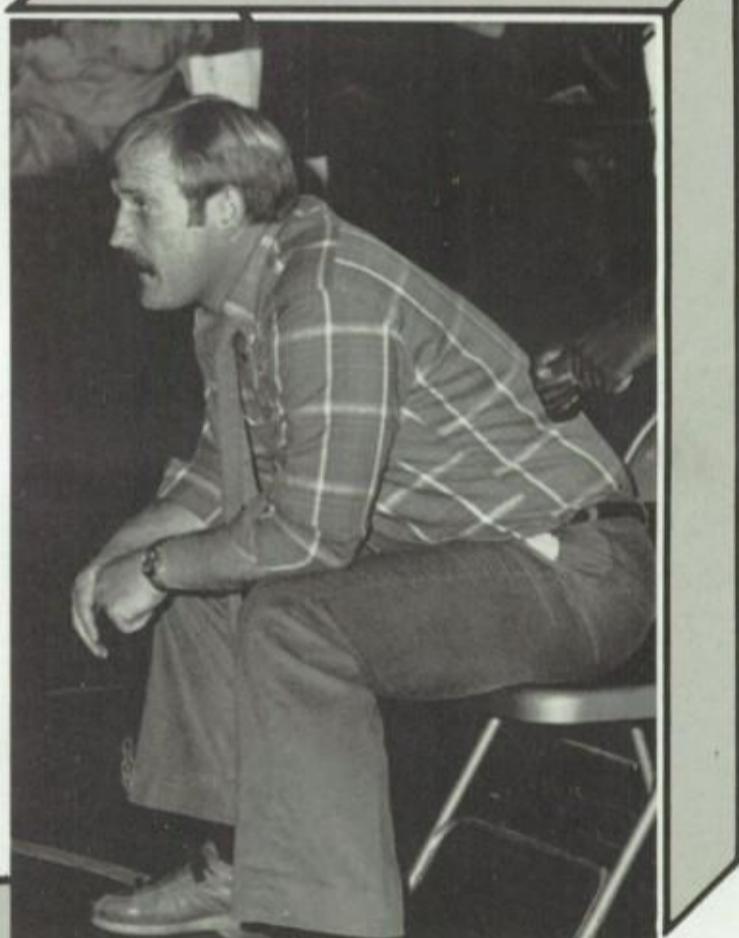
# BLOCK AGAINST DEFEAT



From L to R: H. Jones, T. Kelley, D. Smith, G. Ball, F. Patton, R. Kelley, F. Carver.

Dec. 20 Alexandria  
Dec. 26-30 Haralson Co.  
Jan. 3 Wellborn  
Jan. 7 Heflin  
Jan. 10 Jacksonville  
Jan. 13 Talladega  
Jan. 17 Saks  
Jan. 20-25 Calhoun, Co. T'ment (Saks)  
Jan. 28 Alexandria  
Jan. 31 Anniston  
Feb. 4 Pell City  
Feb. 7 Southside  
Feb. 8 Talladega  
Feb. 11 Pell City  
Feb. 13-14 Area Tourn (Saks)

Coach Davis, the B-Team basketball coach, looks on eagerly as they try to go for a win.



From L To R: D. McGrue, D. Stanford, M. Conley, H. Jones, T. Kelley, D. Smith, G. Ball, R. Atkinson, J. Stringer, R. Kelley, F. Carver, S. Vingers.



## B-TEAM

#10 G. Mason  
#30 B. Porter  
#12 D. Gains  
#24 W. Bradford  
#22 M. Jones  
#42 J. Moshan  
#34 C. Pounds  
#32 M. Towns  
#20 A. McNatt  
#4 G. Gilbert



## JUNIOR HIGH

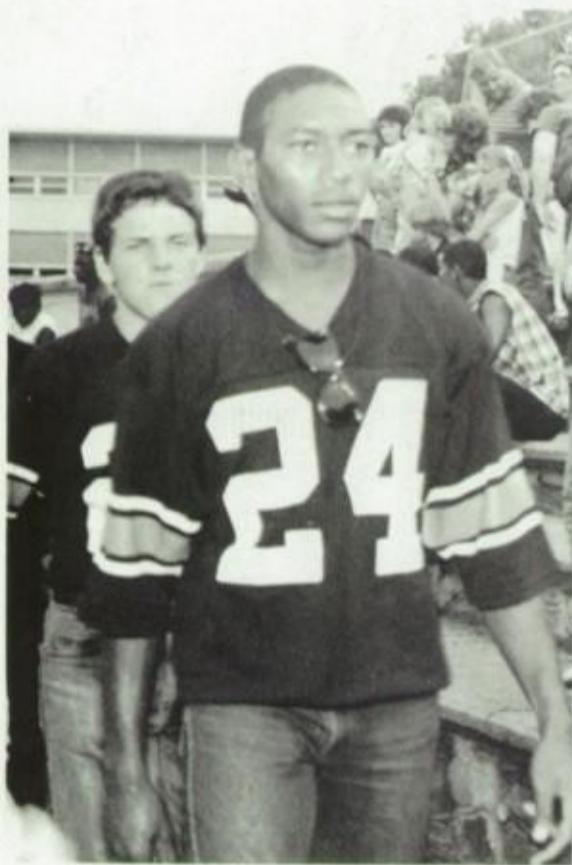
#35 M. Mackey  
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#15 T. Lane  
#35 K. Reids  
#43 T. Conner  
#21 B. Eaton  
#33 W. Porter  
#45 M. Johnson  
#41 T. Hanner  
#23 J. Jack  
#11 K. McCullough  
#31 J. Trup  
#41 D. Mooneyham

## 8th GRADE

#11 P. Herring  
#21 J. Banett  
#13 J. Pruitt  
#25 A. West  
#33 R. Higgins  
#55 M. Shepard  
#41 C. Houston  
#43 S. Taylor  
#23 S. Kirby  
#35 J. Hall  
#31 T. Embry  
#5 R. Cortex



# ON THE RIGHT TRACK



Not only was Maurice Ball a great athlete in football, but also placed first in the 100 meter high hurdles and 300 meter intermediate this year at state.



M. Towns: State winner in long jump for the third year.

# ONE TRACK MIND



1st Row: T. Randolph, D. Ford, T. Perez, C. 2nd Row: R. Shaw, B. Akles, M. Towns, H. Simmons, A. Baker. 3rd Row: K. Harmon, A. Bobo, M. Stevens, D. Grizzard.



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1st Row: T. Randolph, P. Greenwade, M. Towns, B. Akles. 2nd Row: K. Harmon, R. Shaw, A. Baker, D. Grizzard.



FIELD EVENTS

# ONE TRACK MIND



1st Row: A. Allen, S. Lee, W. Kelley, D. Monroe, K. Humphrey. 2nd Row: D. Gaines, G. Gilbert, K. Reid, R. Wooten, D. Miller. 3rd Row: C. Scott, C. Shufford, D. Allen, M. Ball, R. Kelley. 4th Row: K. Robertson, M. Marable, M. Shaw, D. Stanford, E. Brown.

W. Kelley  
D. Monroe  
D. Stanford  
R. Kelley



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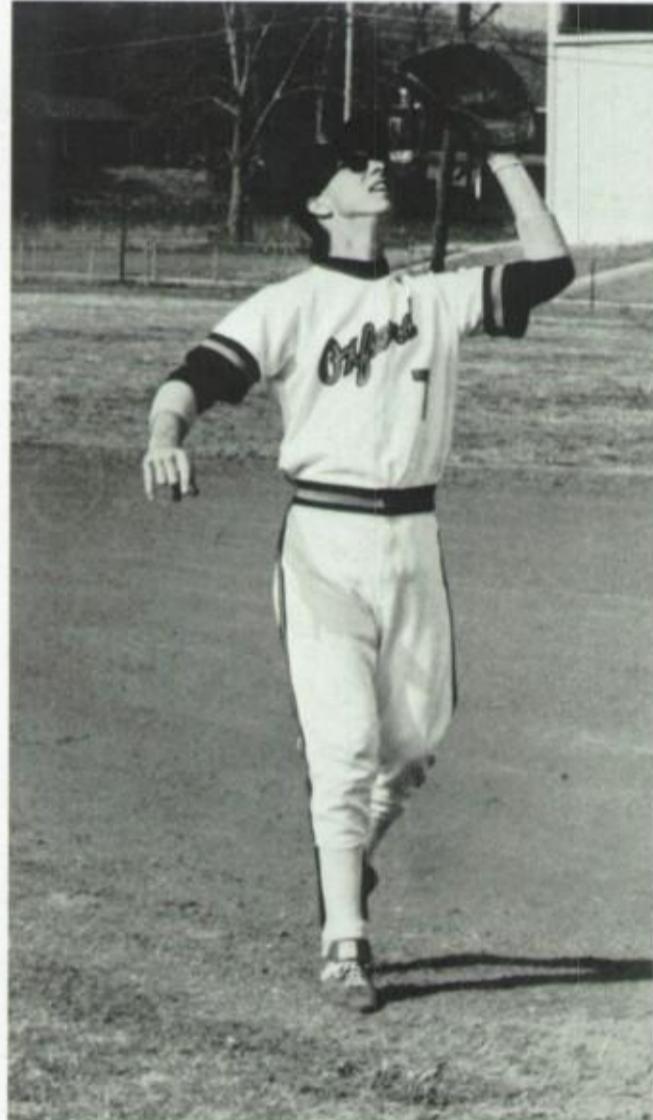
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SPRINTERS

### Oxford High School Baseball Schedule 1986

TEAM	OXFORD	TEAM	OXFORD
Southside	Won	Gadsden	Won
Alexandria	Won	Jacksonville	Won
Heflin	Won	Southside	Won
Wellborn	Won	Saks	Lost
Jacksonville	Won	Emma Samson	(Not Played)
Emma Samson	Won	Pell City	Won
Saks	Lost	Alexandria	Won
Gadsen	Lost	Talladega	Won
Wellborn	Won		



## Talented and Awesome

This year's 1986 OHS baseball team finished with 14 wins and 5 loses ... This explains the title "Talented and Awesome."

The team finished second in the area with a 4-2 mark. Gordy Adams, Doug Champion, and Barney Turner made East-West All Stars Team and All County Teams.

Gary Abbott lead the team in hitting with a .426 average. Anthony Garner

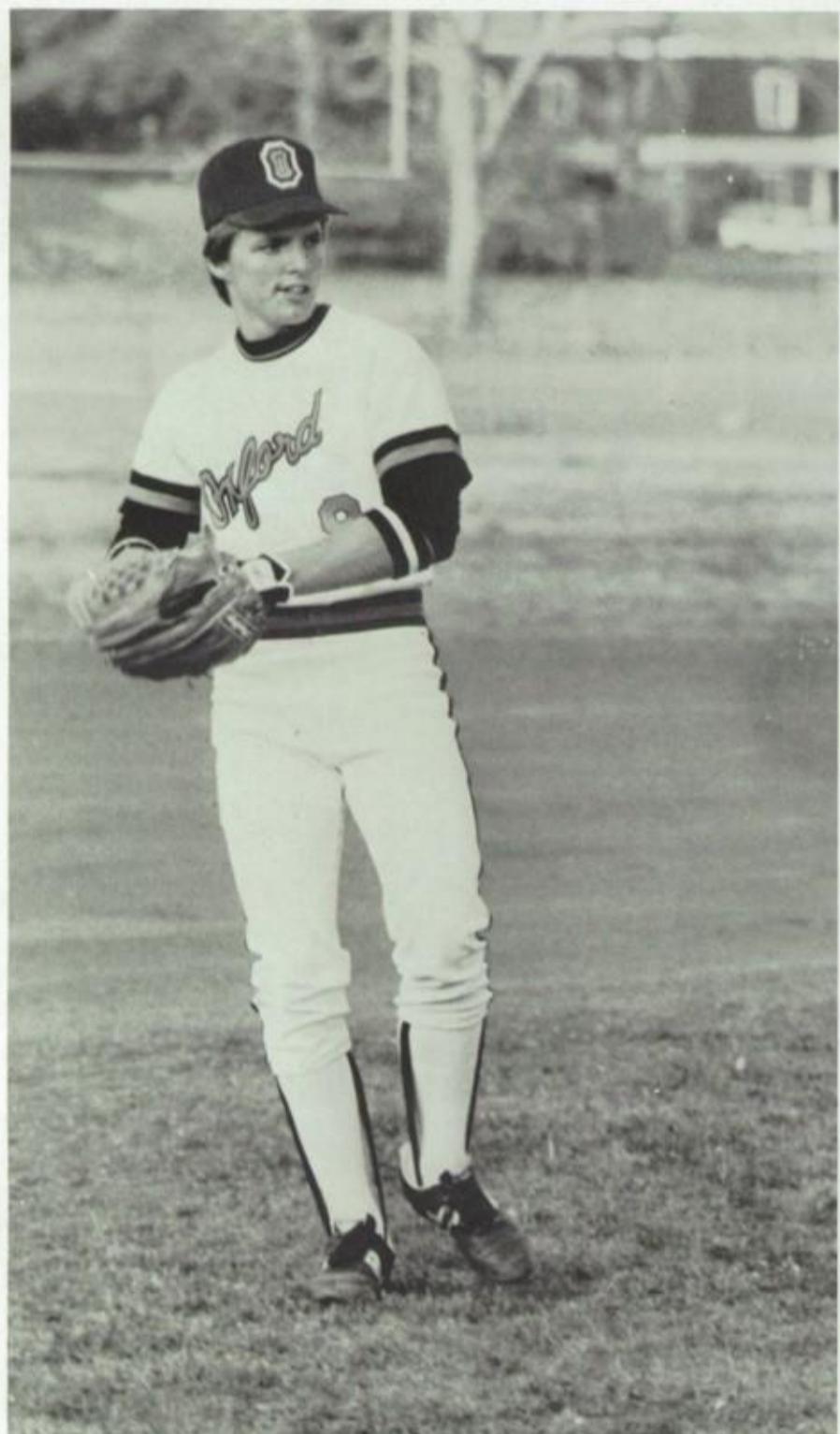
batted .400 as the designated hitter.

The team was mostly made up of underclassmen, so they are looking forward to next year's baseball season because of the returning players. This year's Seniors will be hard to replace because of the talent and leadership they provided.

We are proud of the 1986 baseball team and wish to congratulate them

on a great season.

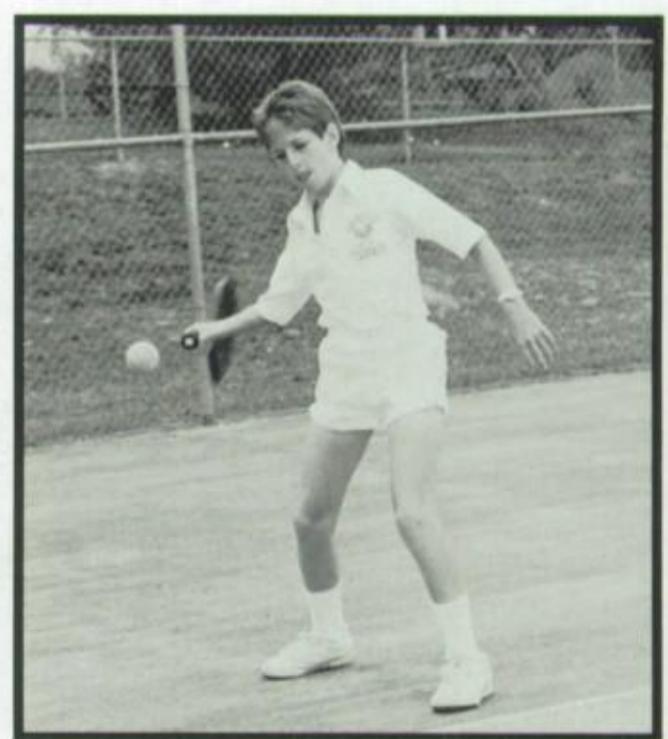
1986 PLAYERS, **Top Row:** Coach Davis, Ted Darby, Anthony Garner, Ray Whiteside, David Smith, Steven Landers, Chuck Holcombe, Doug Champion, Barney Turner, Gordy Adams, Bobby Tranthum. **Bottom Row:** Gary Abbott, Brian Nicholson, Pete Mackey, Matthew Livingston, Rip Andrews, Kent Martin, Mike Watts, Keith McCullough, Gary Mason.



# SETTING IT UP RIGHT



1st Row: P. Ware, J. Gordon. 2nd Row: Coach Davison, B. Carter, T. Hanner, B. Edwards, D. Smith.



PULL "WINNERS AREN'T ALWAYS FIRST"

Lady Jackets Finished Second in Area

VARSITY VOLLEYBALL TEAM



Front Row: C. Lee, R. Gilbert, A. Gaines. Back Row: J. Thaggard, S. Boyd, R. Lee, K. Harmon, R. Young, L. Houck.

BLOCK

JR. HIGH VOLLEYBALL TEAM



Front Row: S. Lambert, C. Buchanan, W. Youngblood, K. Day, T. Back Row: B. Harmon, R. Shaw, M. Storey, S. Searcy, C. Young.

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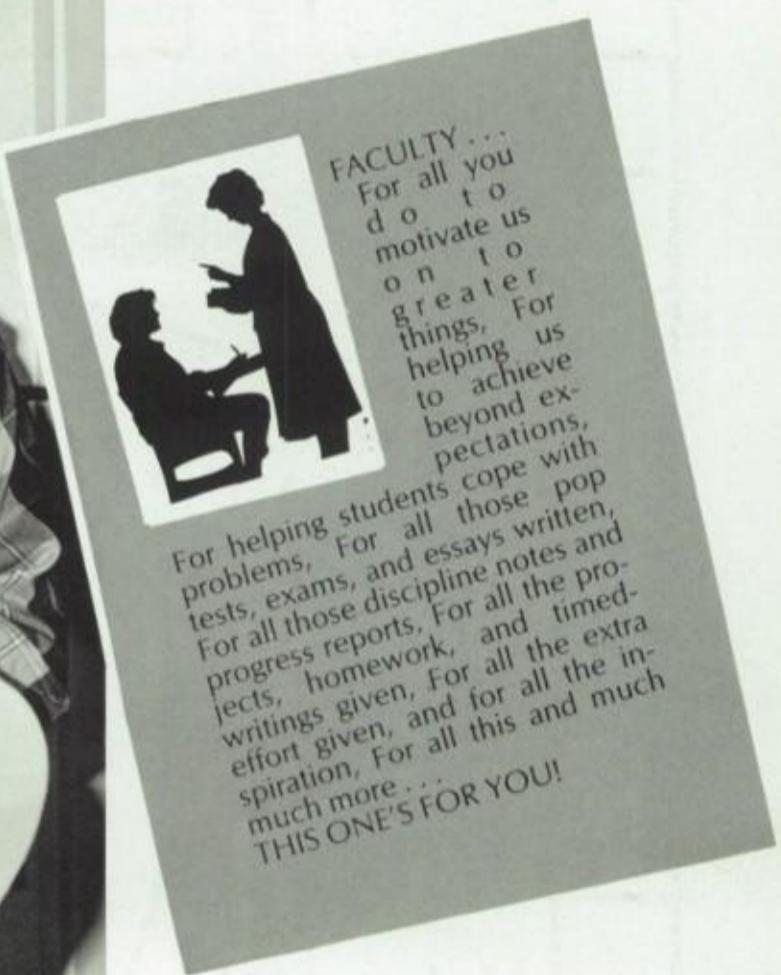
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# FACULTY



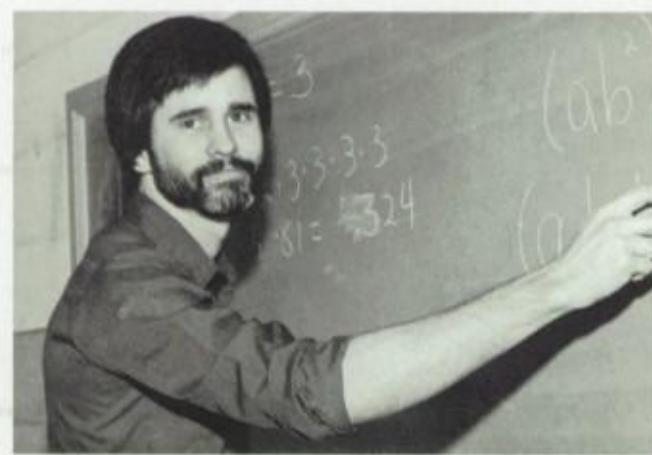


Mrs. Glennis Parris preparing  
a dish in Home Economics.

Mrs. Jack striking a pose dur-  
ing class change.

Mrs. Vaughn and Mrs. Roberts  
proudly show thier Halley's  
Comet display.

Mr. Bennett working an  
algebraic equation.



# OHS



Bill B. Cassidy  
SUPERINTENDENT

## The Task Role of the Local Board of Education

Americans believe in local control of education. They believe that their schools should be responsive to the needs of their children and to the needs of the general public. The instrument through which local citizen's interest are expressed, and through which lay control is affected, is the local school board. The board of education is the most direct link between the public and its schools.

"Thusly, the board of education has the task of representing the public interest in the developing policies for the operation of the school system. Sometimes this is an awesome task. Always it is a job which carries with it heavy responsibility.

Bill B. Cassidy  
Superintendent



Dr. Herbert Griffin  
ADMINISTRATIVE



Pat  
Wayne  
Shaddix



Buford  
Chase



Brenda Reaves



Nettie Whitley Chairperson



Plemer East

# 'Principal' People



Principal  
Louis L. Higgins



Asst. Principal  
Jim O'Shields



Asst. Principal  
Isaac Russell



Gail Norton  
Main Office



Geynell Burgess  
Main Office



Lillian Williams  
Secretary

Tardy Seniors. Two students caught fighting in the halls. Students forgetting to sign out. Someone having a purse stolen. Teacher conferences. Faculty meetings. Parent conferences.

And if that's not enough, take all the complaints and the daily headlines of newspapers around the state proclaiming that educators weren't producing educated students.

The administrative life, never known for being calm, was even more hectic. In addition to everyday discipline and scheduling problems, academic, advanced and honors courses.

It didn't look as if administrators would sit back and relax for a long time.



Margeret Ball  
PE Aid, 4 years at OHS



Tony Ball  
JSU — BS in Education, Math, Physical Education, B-team Football, Girls' Basketball, and Softball, 1 year at OHS



Bill Barker  
JSU — BS, MS, AA, Band, 5 years at OHS



Linda Barnett  
JSU — Masters, Social Studies, 20 years at OHS



Alice Allison  
JSU — AB, MS, BS, Ed. S. Government, American History, 17 years at OHS

Paula Austin  
LSU, JSU — BS, MS, English, 17 years at OHS

Johnnie Austin  
LSU — MBS, Marketing, DE, 7 years at OHS



Jane Batey  
JSU — BS, MS, AA, Ed. S., Vocational C, 18 years at OHS



Roy Bennett  
JSU — BS, Physics, Algebra, 5 years at OHS



Harold Berryhill  
JSU, So Union, Graphic Arts, 4 years at OHS



Howard Bigbee  
JSU — BS, MS, 18 years at OHS



Sue Boozer  
JSU — BS, MS, Guidance, 29 years at OHS



Barbara Blomeyer  
JSU — MS, BD, Education, Special Education, 6 years at OHS



Anne Bobo  
JSU — BS, 5 years at OHS



Meredith Blackwell  
JSU — BS, BD, Education, Special Education, 6 years at OHS



Duska Brickhouse  
JSU — BS, Ed, MS, Ed., 14 years at OHS

Bunti Britt  
JSU — UAB — BS, MS, Resources, 1 year at OHS

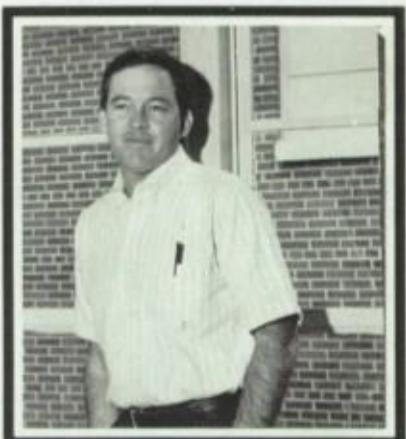
Timothy Britt  
JSU — BS, History, 1 year at OHS

Linda Bryant  
Auburn Univ., BS, MA, Social Studies, 12 years at OHS



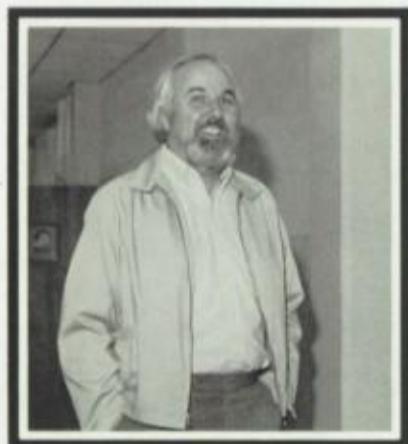
Leon Denson  
Samford Univ., Southwestern Seminary, JSU — AB, MRE, Government/Economics, 23 years at OHS

Shirley Denson  
JSU, AL A & M, BS, MS, Math, 15 years at OHS



Martha Eaton  
JSU, BS, Master's in Ed., Accounting/Typing, 18 years at OHS

Michael Dothard  
AL St. Univ., JSU — BS, MS, 9 years at OHS



Barbara Buchanan  
Library Aid  
JSU — BS, MS, MA, English, 28 years at OHS

Imogene Couch  
JSU — BS, MS, MA, English, 28 years at OHS

Paul Davis  
Livingston Univ., Montevallo Univ., BS, MS, History, 1 year at OHS

Bill Dempsey  
JSU, Univ. AL, BS, MS, Special Education, 11 years at OHS



Gowah Embry  
JSU — MS, Guidance, 15 years at OHS

Phyllis Embry  
JSU — BS, MS, PE, 5 years at OHS

Ann Fisher  
UAB, JSU, Health Occupations, 4 years at OHS

Sandra Freeman  
JSU — BS, Master's, Biology/Chemistry, 17 years at OHS





Alice N. Heard  
Auburn Univ., UAB, BS, MS, History, 27 years at OHS

Rhetta Hendon  
JSU — AB, MS, English, 18 years at OHS

Robert Herring  
Miss. St., Montevallo, MS. Athletic Director, 1 year at OHS

Sandra Horn  
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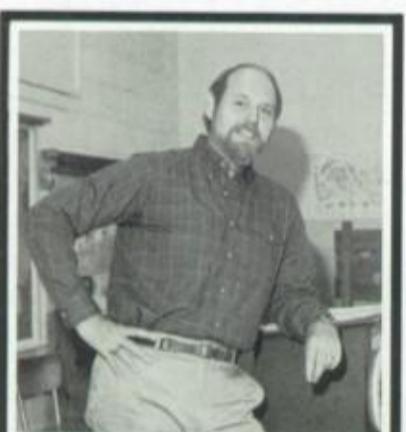


Carol Kelly  
JSU, BS, MS, English, 15 years at OHS

Anne Kerr  
JSU, UAB, Univ. of N.C. at Chapel Hill, BA, MA, Spanish, 1 year at OHS

Tem Landers  
Auburn Univ., BS, Ornamental Horticulture, Vocational Horticulture, 2 years at OHS

Norma Martin  
Univ. of AL, BS, English, 14 years at OHS



William Graham  
JSU — BS, Learning Disabilities, 1 year at OHS

Jerry Gray  
Montevallo, JSU — M. E.; BA, World History, 8 years at OHS

Jack Grizzard  
JSU, Univ. of AL, BS, MS, DE, 31 years at OHS

Teresa Haynes  
Computer Aid, 2 years at OHS



Patsy Hubbard  
JSU, BS, MS, English, 9 years at OHS  
Patsy Hutcheson  
JSU, BS, MS, Vocational Business, 15 years at OHS

Patricia Jack  
Auburn Univ., Univ. Tenn., Home & Personal Management, 9 years at OHS

Alberta Jennings  
AL St. Univ., JSU, BS, MA, Special Education Coordinator, 15 years at OHS





Coach McCall  
JSU — BS, in Education, Health, 5 years  
at OHS

Susan McCall  
JSU — BS in Education, Choral, 4 years  
at OHS

Ruth McCarty  
JSU — BS, MS, Ed.S. Biology & Sec. Ed.  
Science, 2 years at OHS

Pam McGarity  
JSU — BS in Education, English, 1 year  
at OHS



Becky McElroy  
U of A, JSU — MS, BS, Reading & Computer, 9 years at OHS

Mally Moody  
U of Mass. & JSU — BS, MS, AA,  
Algebra I & II, Precalculus, 19 years at  
OHS

Mary Nelson  
Vocational Aid, 15 years at OHS

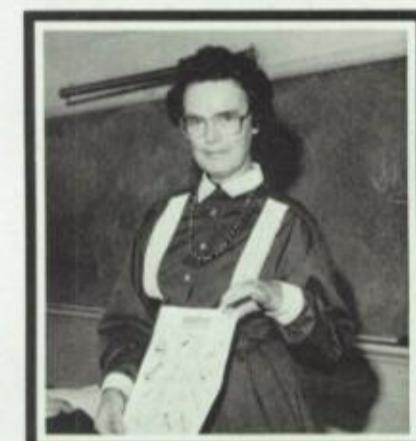
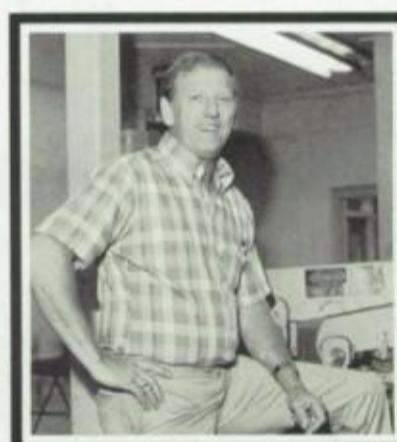


John Pascal  
Gadsden St. & U of A, Welding, 5 years  
at OHS

Charlotte Parris  
Samford — BS, Art, 11 years at OHS

Glennis Parris  
JSU — BS, Home Economics, 5 years at  
OHS

Judith Pettus  
JSU — BS, MS, Learning Disabilities, 3  
years at OHS



Anita Phillips  
U of A, JSU — BS, MS, Ed Spec.,  
Math & Algebra I, 13 years at OHS

Julia Poole  
JSU — BS, MS, Science, 27 years at  
OHS

June Reaves  
JSU — BS, MS, English, 16 years at  
OHS

Juanita Rice  
Univ. AL, JSU, UAB, MA, BS, AB,  
Librarian, 25 years at OHS





Dixie Roberts  
JSU, BS, Science, 9 years at OHS



Lisa Robertson  
Auburn Univ., JSU, MS, BS, Science, Anatomy, 6 years at OHS



Minnie Ross  
AL St. Univ., UAB, BS, Master's, History, 12 years at OHS



Paula Sharp  
JSU, UAB, BS, MS, AA, Guidance Counselor, 19 years at OHS



Peggy Tinney  
JSU, BS, MS, AA, Biology, 17 years at OHS



John Underwood  
Edison Comm., Morehead St. Univ., Associate of Arts, Bachelors of Music Ed., Band, 2 years at OHS



Janet Vaughn  
JSU, BS, Science, 19 years at OHS



Julia Ware  
AL St. Univ., UAB, Indiana Univ. BS, MS, Typing, 15 years at OHS



Rose White  
Univ. of AL, JSU, BS, MS, English, 20 years at OHS



Martha Wigley  
JSU, BS, MS, Educational Specialist, American History, Psychology, Stinger Advisor, 10 years at OHS

## CUSTODIANS



P. Allen



M. Morris

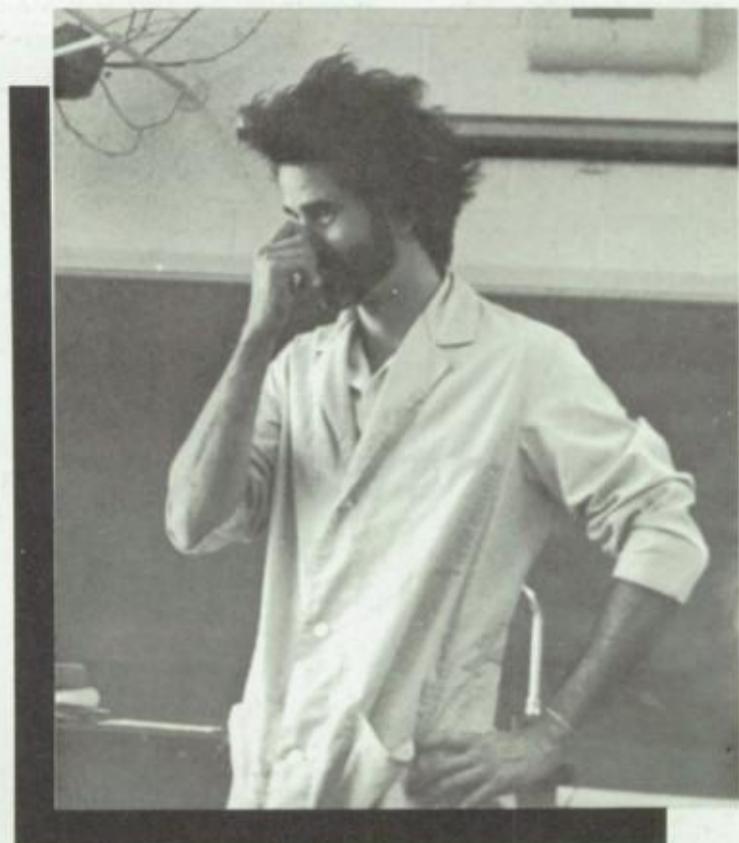
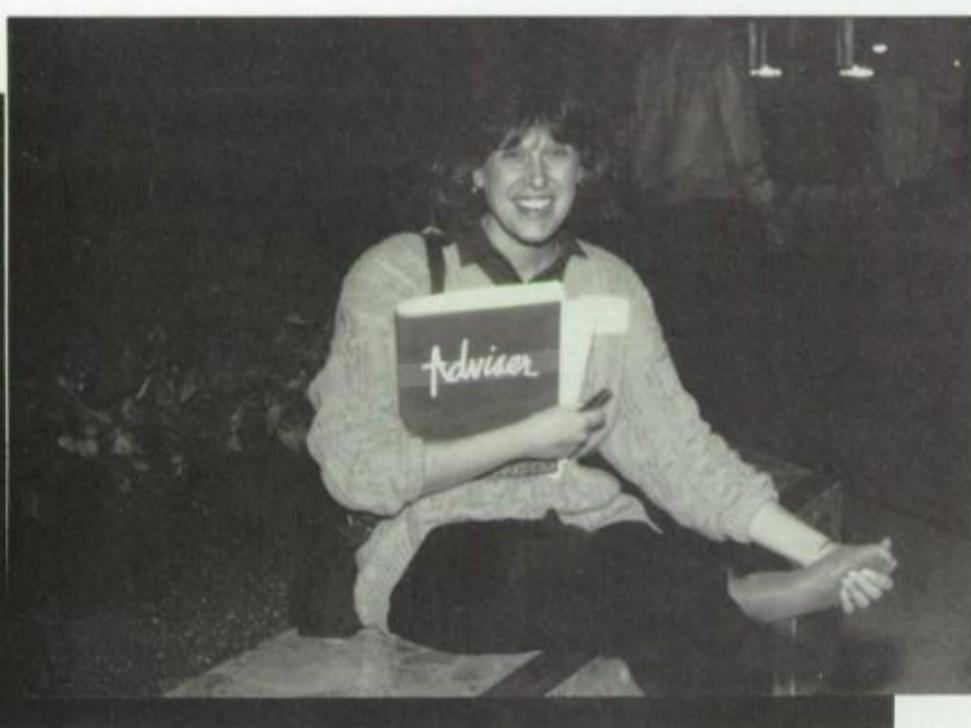


Larry Davidson  
JSU, BS, MS, Physical Education, 6 years at OHS



S. Stephens

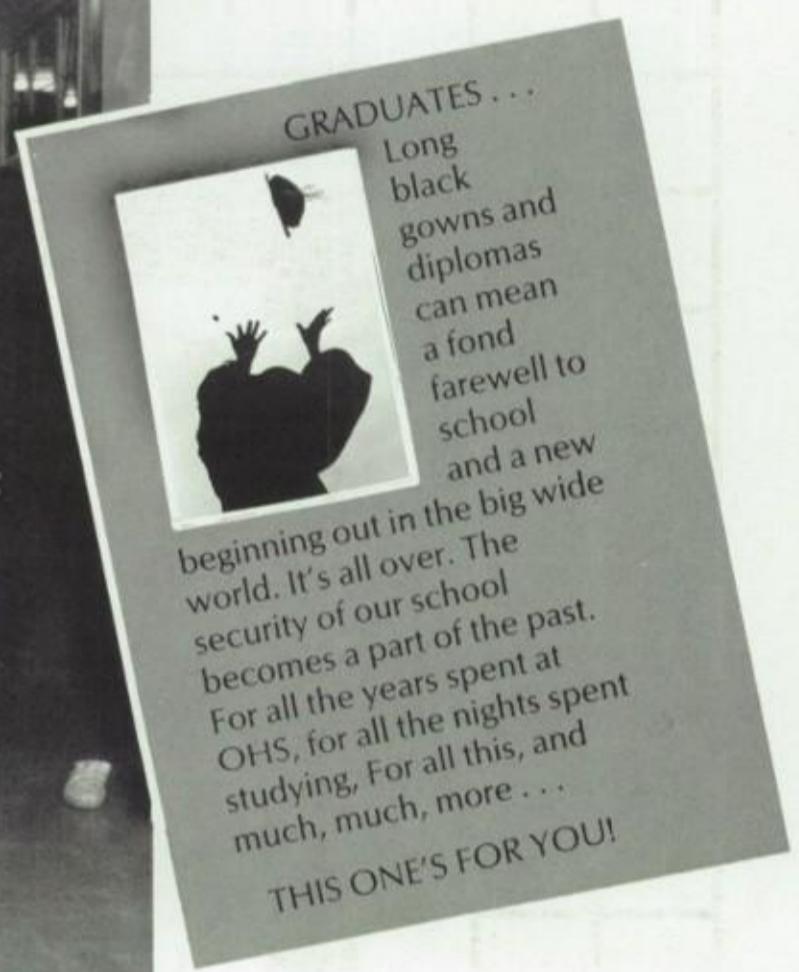
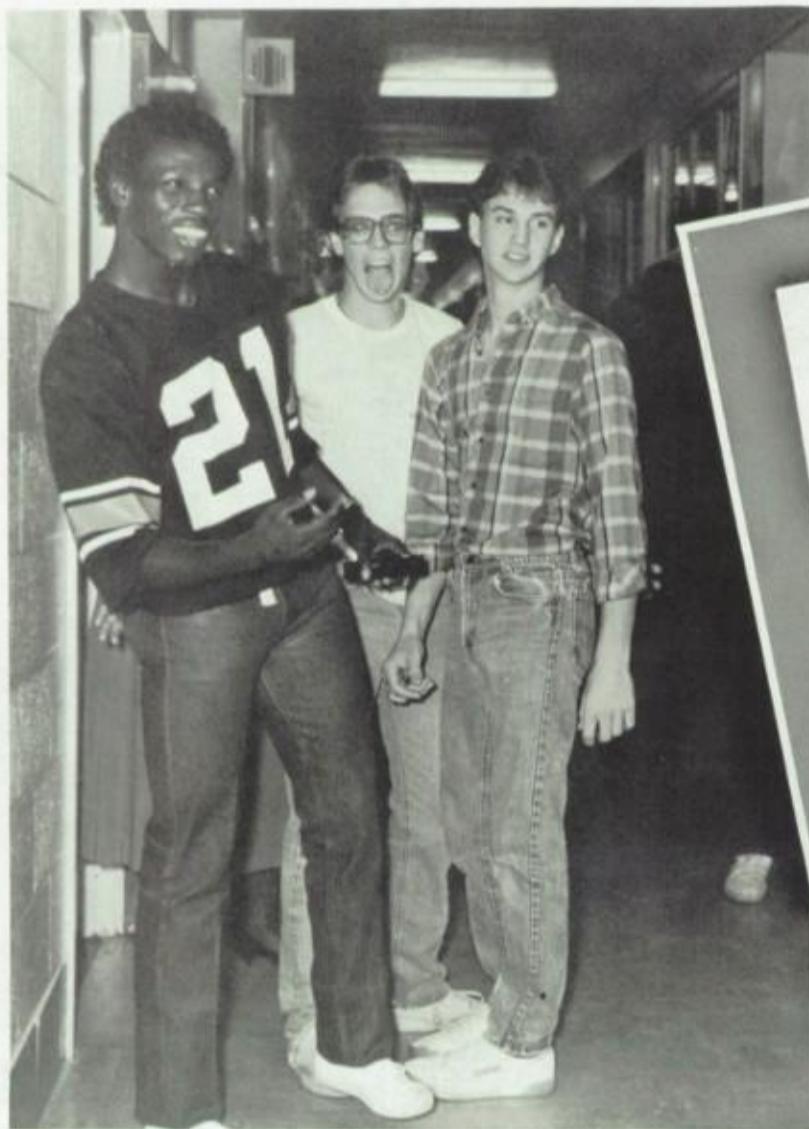
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# GRADUATION



Far away there in the sunshine, are my highest Aspirations.



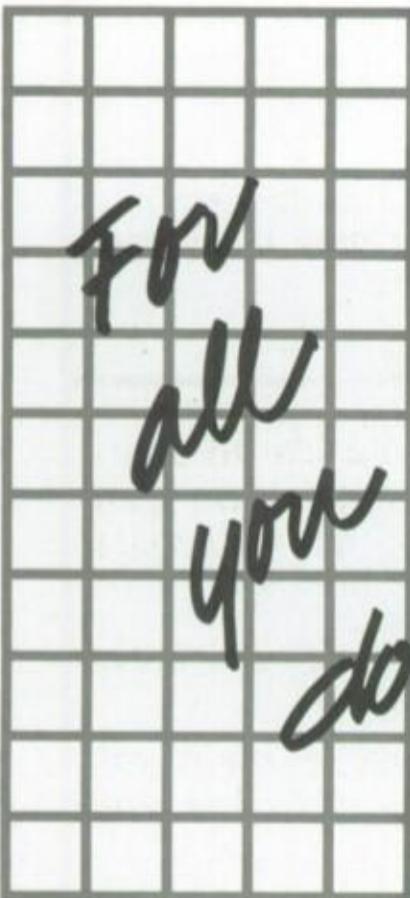
Seniors, Rony Kelley, Anthony Willingham, and John Poore take a break in between classes.

Jackie Herren reaches out for a friendly hug from Kim Pettus.

Kandy Warcop, Keith Harmon, and Brandy Pilkington acting crazy as usual in Mrs. Allison's government class.

Typical Seniors: Jeff Strickland and Shane Adams!





As we remember happy yesterdays spent together — the years so rich in tradition at OHS, we are saddened by the thought of leaving it all behind. Only now are we aware of the precious moments we have taken for granted.

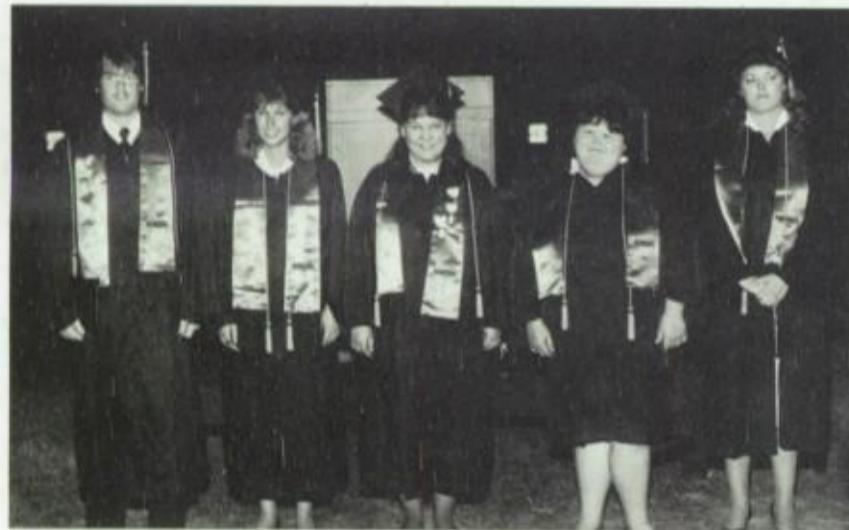
In the years to come, we will have many, many experiences that we will want to tell each other, but then we will feel the distance once more, and realize that along with graduation and maturation came separation.

We have grown, and in do-

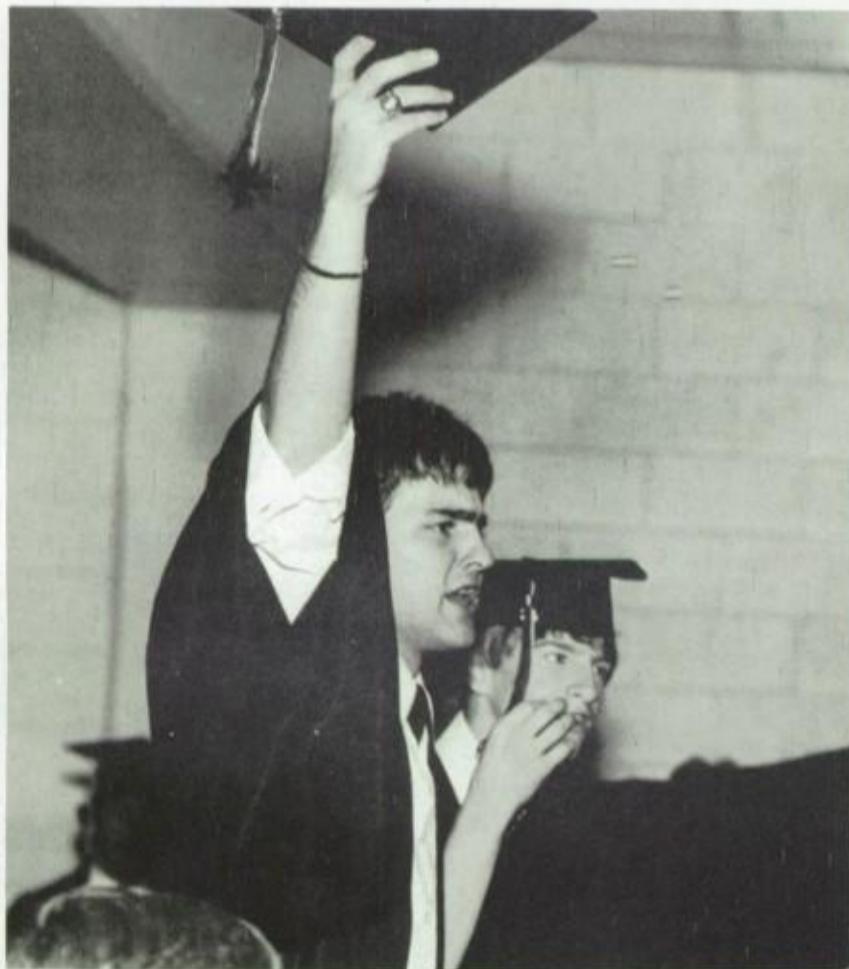
ing so, we have seen love and found disappointments. We have seen hurt and felt pain, but now we turn from the past and see the goals we hope to reach. We do not really know what the future holds for us, but we do know that we will be strong enough to handle it.

Oxford High School has made a lasting impression on each of us, and now, as we prepare to go our separate ways, we pause to remember all the good times, the laughter, and even the tears . . .





I'm insecure about taking that first step . . .  
but I'm anticipating meeting new challenges.  
— KARA WITKOWSKI



If I had my choice, I would like to stay a  
teenager forever. I really don't think we know  
what to expect out there. — JACKALINE  
DEERMAN



The thing I enjoyed most about my senior  
year was all the crazy funny times we had. —  
RACHEL YOUNG



ALL Seniors cherish graduation forever because we've all worked so hard for that special moment. — KIM PETTUS

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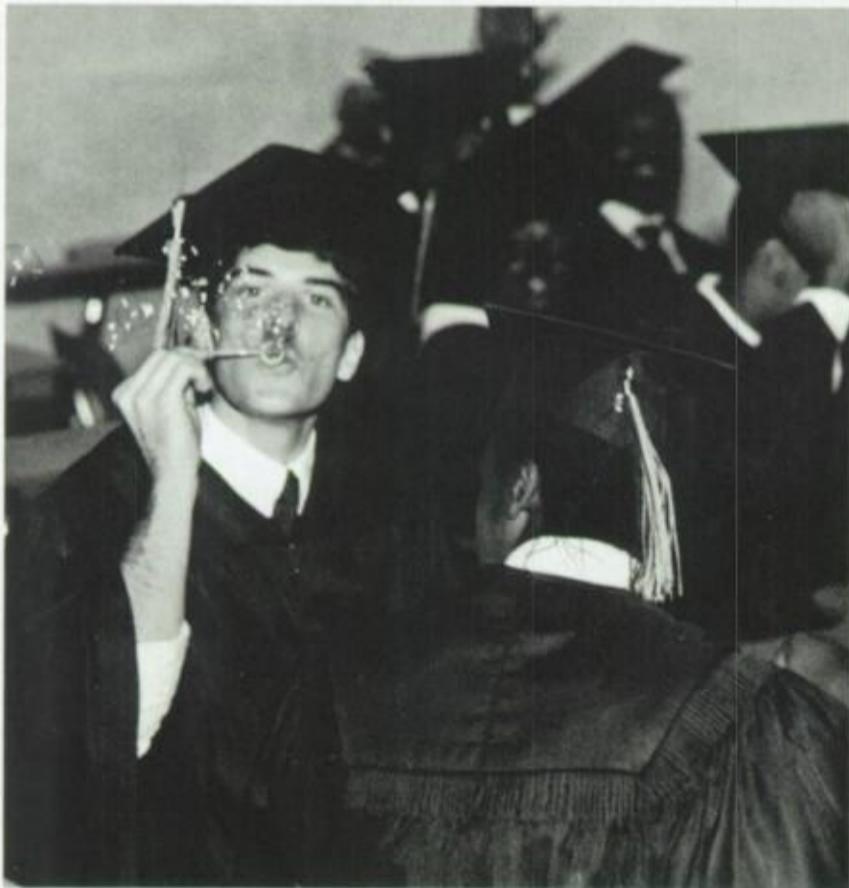
I regret that everything changed during our high school years, especially the rules. — KEITH COLEY

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It's all over now. But I'm anxious to see what life has in store for me. — JEFF HYATT

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After graduation I will miss the many personalities of my fellow students. — ANITA PORTER



David Smith  
blowing bubbles.

Our Alma Mater, sung by Steven Waits and Lynn Houck.



Angie Holyfield and Dy West



Kathy Mogan Valedictorian





Shelby LeCroy-Sparks saying good-bye to a good friend.

Rowan Bussey and Shane Adams

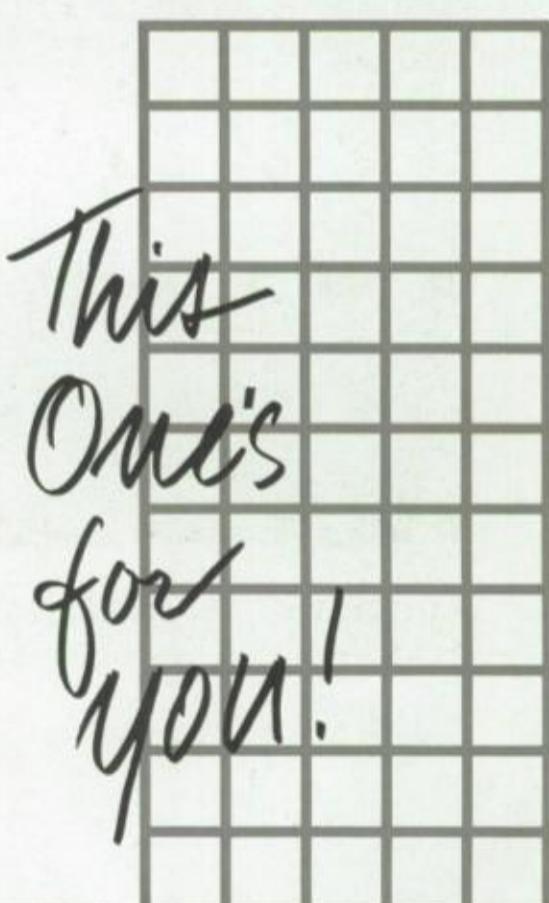


Some of the fondest memories of the Class of 1986 were the times that we discovered important parts of ourselves and experienced new emotions.

For some it was band or FBLA. For others, it was a sport or two. Participants discovered a nonstop will that kept us going in a positive direction. We practiced whenever and wherever possible — always moving forward.

Still there were times when no one could be categorized. The times were those when we all gathered for a celebration, for a special picture, or for the lack of anything better to do. On occasions like this, we learned about each other; we grew together and made memories.

But all good things must come to an end. Here is where we say our farewell to each of you, the **Class of 1986**.



# Seniors

## Linking Up With the Community



Student Government Day  
May 14, 1986

Mayor: Lagina Henson  
Secretary to the Mayor: Angela Bailey  
City Council Members: Jeanna Butts, Shannon Hall, Melissa Johnson, Chris Kelley, Rickey Miller  
City Clerk: Jake Hubbard  
Police Chief: Noel Johnson  
Assistant Police Chief: Anthony Willingham  
Administrative Police Clerk: Faith Woodruff  
Police Dispatcher: Wendy Brimer  
Police Lieutenants: Tim Brown, Keith Harmon, Tim Pilkington  
Police Sergeants: Andy Buttke, Ronald Martin, David Norton, Kim Pettus  
Fire Chief: Chris Andrews  
Superintendent of Water Department: Debra Gilmore  
Street Superintendent: Lisa Bruton  
Park and Recreation Director: Cynthia Lee  
Dog Catcher: Rickey Norred  
City Attorney: Mike Chitwood  
City Treasurer: Alison Leemaster  
Judge: Jeff Rimek  
Public Defender: Mark Shaw  
Superintendent of Education: Krista Shropshire  
City Engineer: Brent McCurry  
Garage Foreman: Kevin Roberts

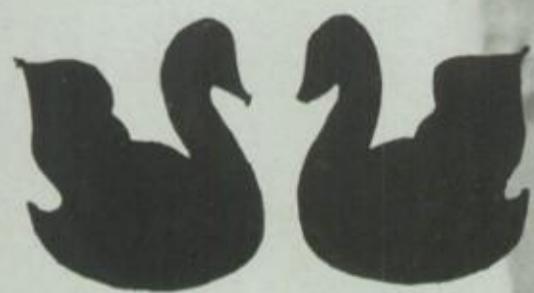




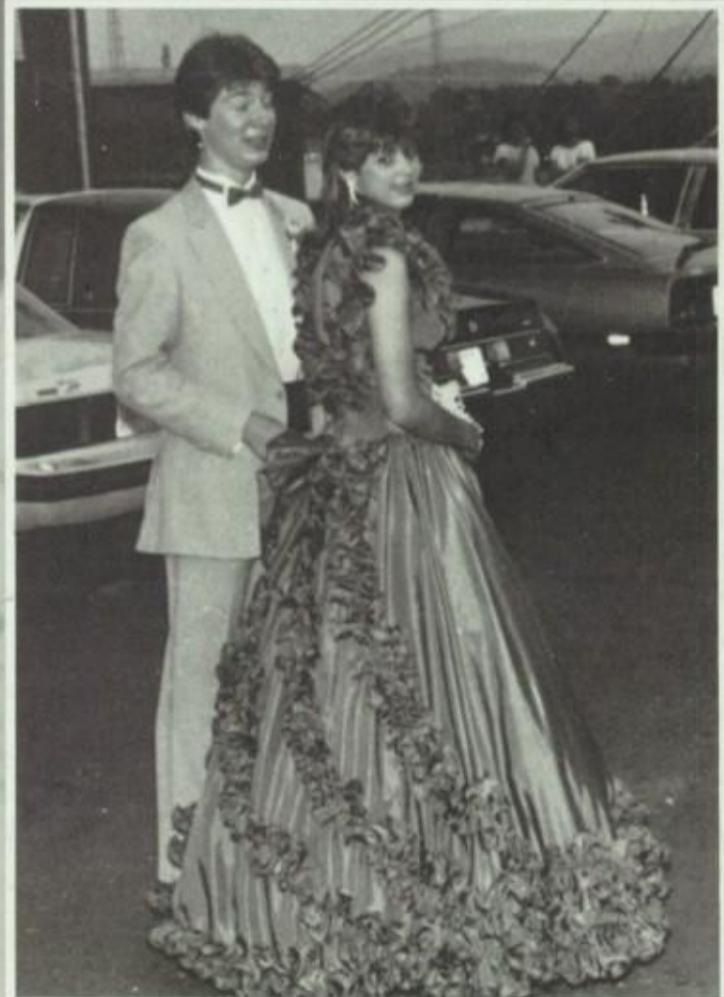
The day began with the Senior class gathering outside the gym to await the que for their entrance. As the band played "The Way We Were" the seniors made their walk. When all were in place the band changed its tune to "Champions" as the football team came into the gym. When the seniors were seated Mrs. Martin read the class poem. This brought back many memories of the first days of school for this class. Later on into the pep rally the famous TUNA MAN, Brad Edwards, made his last appearance in honor of the seniors. The senior football players gave their thoughts of the game and showed their pride in both the team and the school. At the close of the pep rally Mrs. McCall led the senior class and the rest of the student body in the singing of the Alma Mater. The pep rally ended, but the excitement of the senior class stayed the rest of the day.



THIS COULD

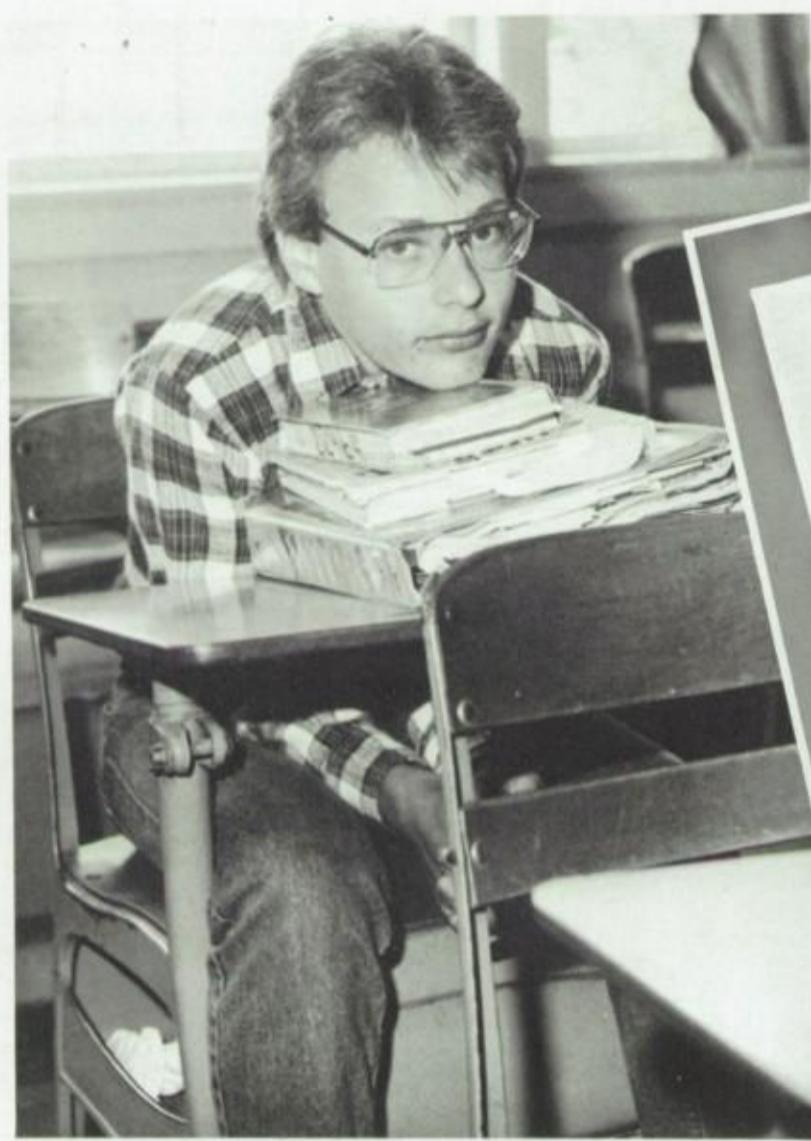


# BE THE NIGHT



# STUDENTS





CLASSMATES,  
For all you  
do to help  
one  
another,  
to achieve

beyond expectations and to  
learn from experiences, For  
all the nights spent studying  
for that all important test, For  
all the dances, concerts, and  
sporting events attended, For  
being special, original, uni-  
que and yourself, For all this  
and much much more ...

THIS ONE'S FOR YOU!



Jeff Turner is patiently waiting  
for class to start.

The one, the only ... Jim  
Stewart!!!

Patrick Young and Caroline  
Holyfield seem to be enjoying  
their lunch!

Susan Cooper and Kerrie  
Cheatwood have lots of  
laughs in Choral.



It's always hard to get the story starting  
When we think of another Oxford Senior Class as parting —  
The Class of '86 — as all others is unique — one of a kind;  
But will stir up some memories that come to mind.

They began as the first fourth grade in the new Middle School,  
And they enjoyed rooms with no walls and air conditioning to stay cool.  
Grades 4 through 7 as a whole stayed very quiet  
The students studied, grew and had some fun; but no riot

Eighth grade began a little more activity and a little talk  
And this is the class that put the Volkswagon on the sidewalk  
As 8th graders they had Mrs. Ross while she was expecting a child  
And she froze or burned the students up — until they were wild  
As freshmen they experienced the year of the big snow  
And won the Homecoming float contest and they were all aglow  
As sophomores they repeated that Homecoming win  
And Nona Sims wiped out garbage cans with the Driver's Ed car she was in.

Well — if up to then the class seems average and medious  
As juniors they were fired up — Alive as a red hot poker  
Individuals began to be identified by their strange quirks  
Such as Brad Edwards & Doug Champion in females' skirts —  
or Christmas trees, ghostly shapes or even Tuna Man —  
And who will forget the females making off with the school van?!  
The "explosion experts" went to work in welding class  
And Pam Setliff's tango with Senor DeLapp helped her to pass.  
The Who's Who pictures were made at Holiday Inn  
and Kandy Warcop, thrown in the pool, came out neat as a pin.  
2nd Period Chemistry put "Booger" Baughn in the scene  
And Mrs. Wigley's 7th period History class was really mean.  
Rachel Young, learning the Heimlich Manuever nearly did choke  
Because Mrs. Fisher thought it was only a practical joke  
Shannon Hall fell out of the kick line of the football field  
and Britton & McConathy in camouflage will never yeild!  
The class began to wonder if Faith Woodruff was for real  
and many girls left school when wedding bells began to peal  
One day, teachers missed many students from class  
But it was just the first annual fishing tournament for bass  
Now we have arrived at the start of the senior year  
And we share some memories that could bring a tear  
We barely remember when we went to lunch unescorted  
And didn't fear detention hall, if class had already started  
But this year brought some things that were brand new  
A coat of paint and hall lights really brightened the view.  
We got a whole new set of football coaches on the football scene  
And a designer Yellow Jacket painted on the field that's really keen  
For one, Rowan Bussey hasn't been injured this whole season  
And number 10 jersey has really been swapped around in girls for some reason  
We've had unusual pep rallies outside early in the year  
And could you believe Homecoming parade — so seniors made a float  
With TOGA theme & party — complete with a real boat.  
Everyone is pleased Melissa and Ricky are back together.  
And you can find Gordy Adam's fan club meeting — where ever.  
This class boasts its own rock star is Steven Waites  
And rooms are reserved for Florida already — before it's too late!  
Now the bands' got some great songs left to play  
The team has another big regular game today  
We've still got Christmas concerts, basketball,  
spring sports, all so fast

Clubs will meet, homework done, and tests must be passed.

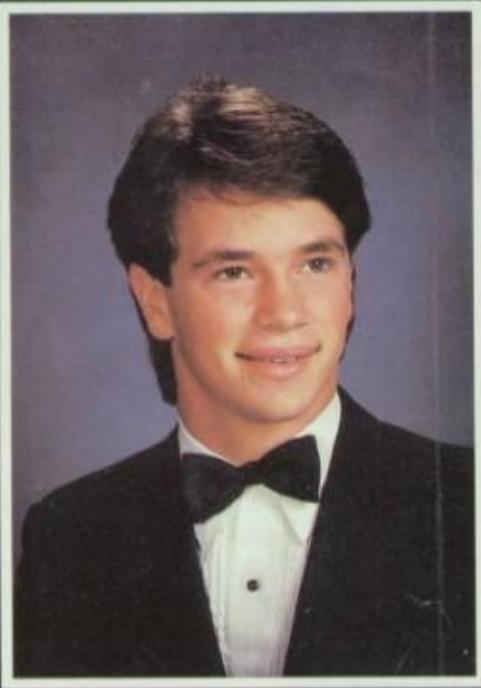
So the Senior year goes quickly by — before you want it to  
And all the memories we hope will be good for each of you.  
The riding around, talking, clowning with your friends  
The activities of ballgames & all — we hate for it to end  
The excitement in the air on the night of the Prom.  
The friends you've made, enjoyed — and some who've passed away  
Life never stays exactly as it is on this your Senior Day.  
Enjoy it all — finish with happiness your great Senior year  
And remember when you meet, the words you hold so dear . . .

WE HAVE FUN, WE HAVE KICKS, WE'RE THE CLASS OF '86!



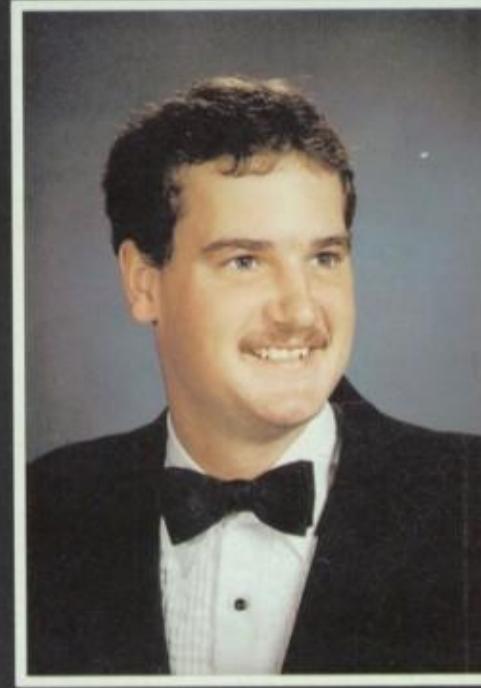
**Yolanda Ackles**

"Happiness is not having what you want, but wanting what you have."



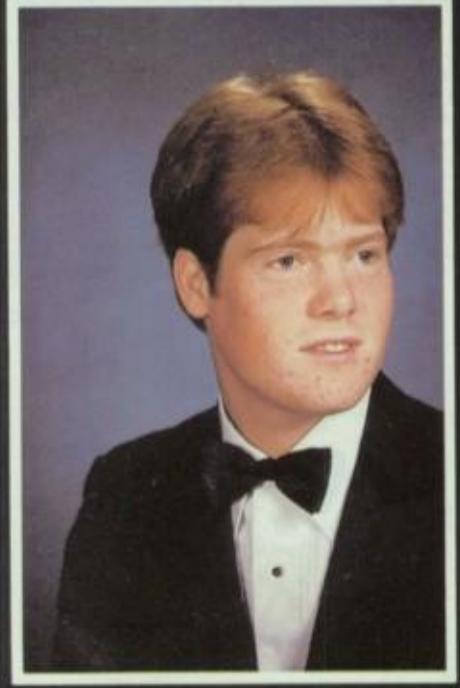
**Gordy Adams**

"School may be hard, but it is a lot easier than growing up."



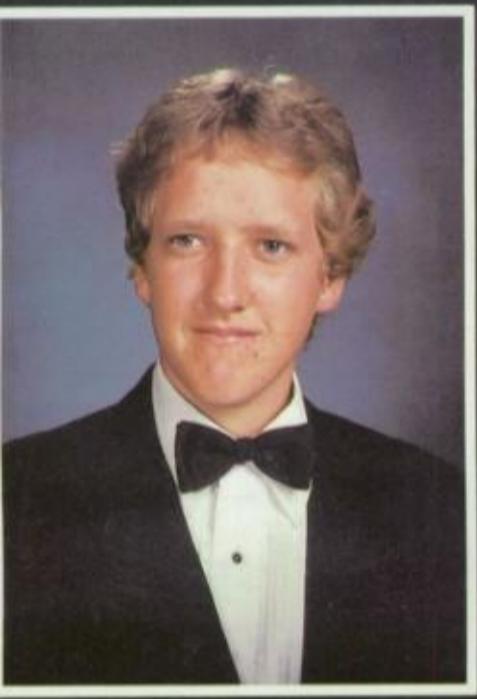
**Shane Adams**

"If it feels right, DO IT!"



**Chris Andrews**

"Some may climb the ladder of success, but I'm taking the elevator."



**Keith Austin**

"Never take life too seriously or you won't get out alive."



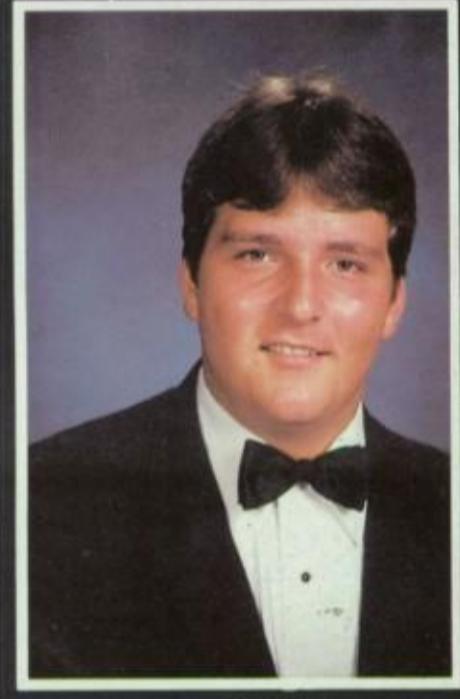
**Angela Bailey**

"A true friend is one of life's greatest pleasures."



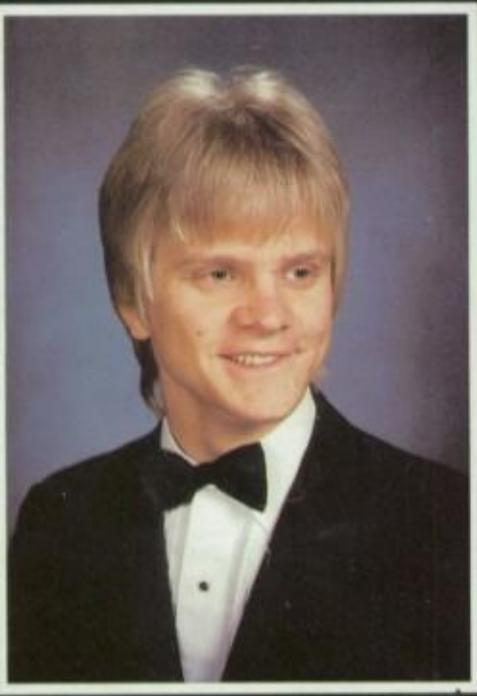
**Lee Baughn**

"You only have to open your eyes to see the hand of Jesus."



**David Blair**

"I learned about girls from her . . . her . . . and her!"



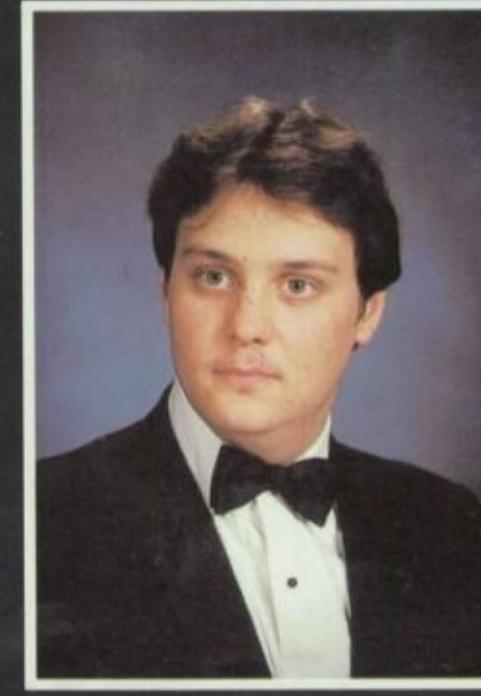
**Brian Borders**

"Rock hard, Ride Free."



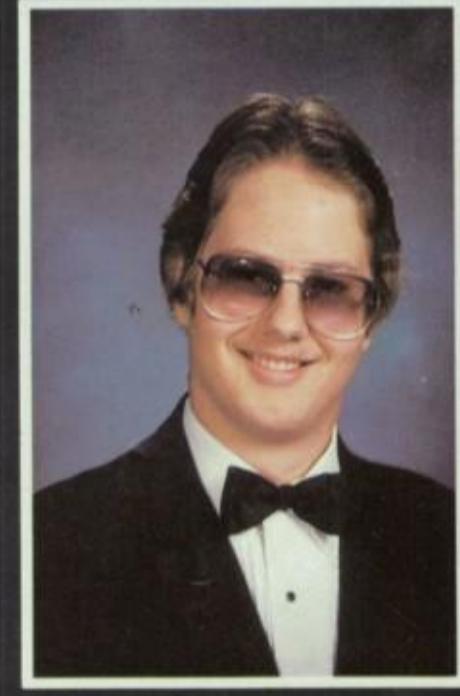
**Wendy Brimer**

"Some pursue happiness — others create it."



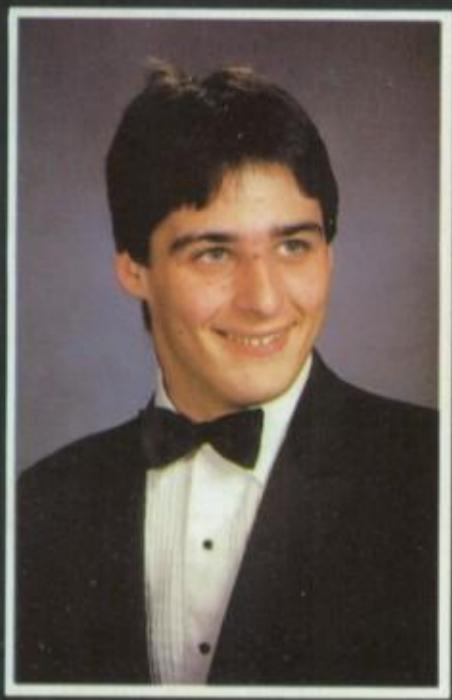
**Bruce Britton**

"A real friend warms you by his presence."



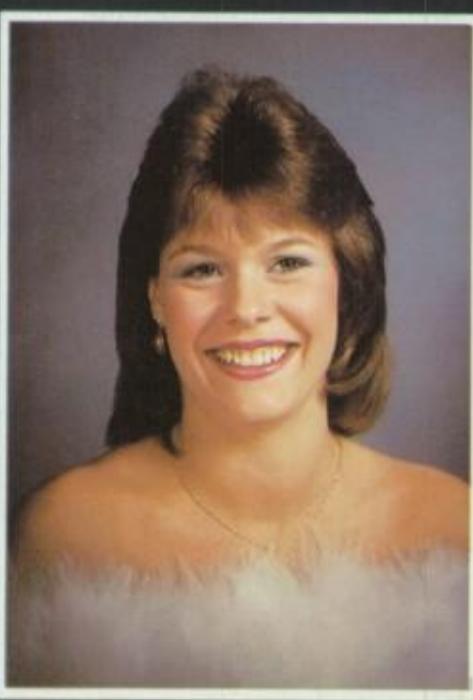
**William Britton**

"Reach for all the gusto you can."



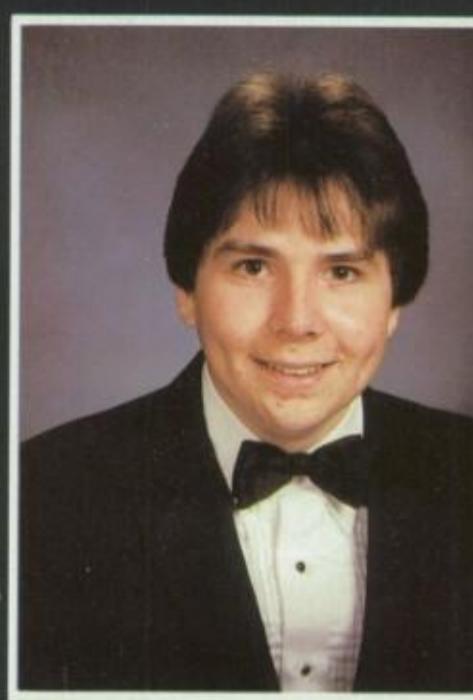
Tim Brown

"Live every day like it's your last."



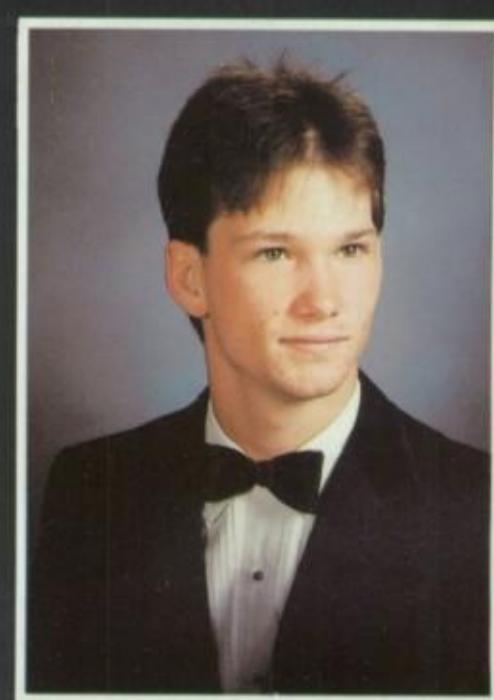
Lisa Brunton

"Reach up as far as you can and God will reach down for you."



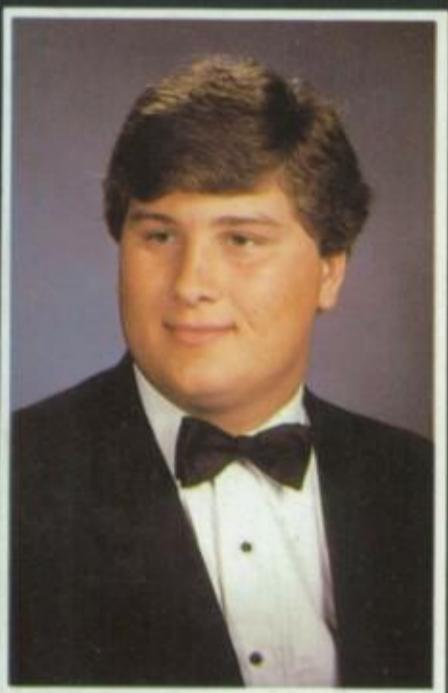
Shawn Buchanan

"May all your labors be in vain."



Mike Burdette

"Our plan — third finger, left hand."



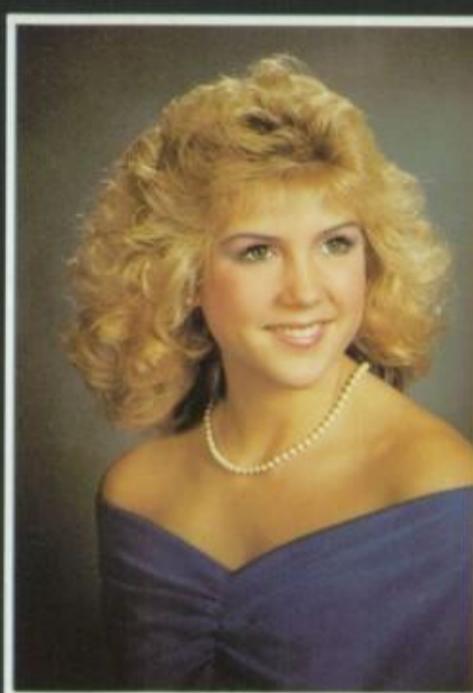
Rowan Bussey

"I wish everyone was as perfect as I!"



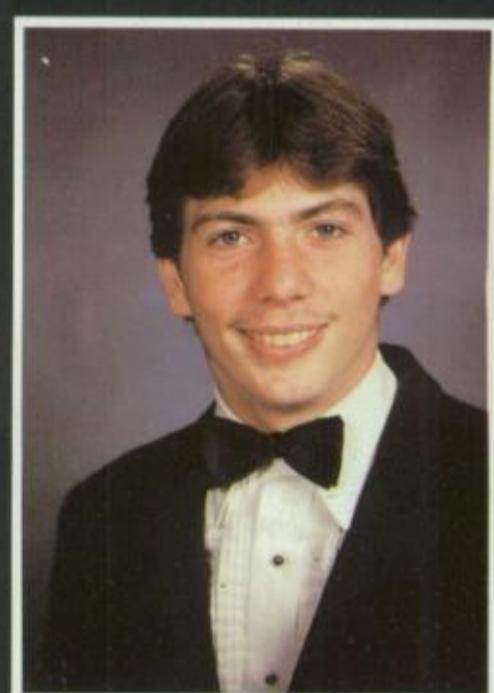
Sandra Butler

"In one ear and out the other."



Jeanna Butts

"To handle yourself use your head, to handle others use your heart."



Andy Buttke

"Life is fun, stay alive."



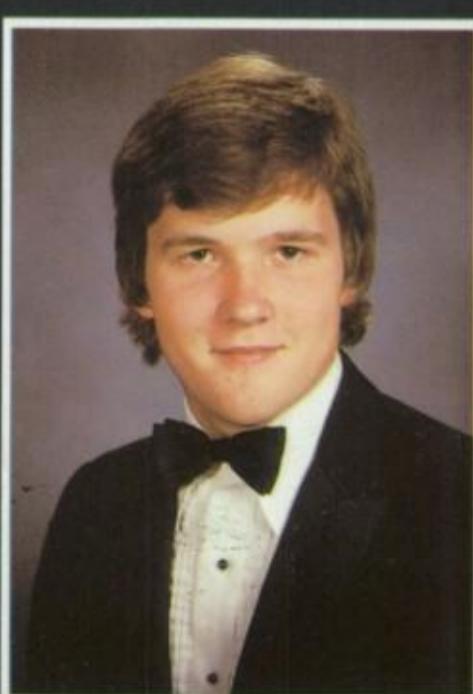
Brandy Carroll

"Life's a beach."



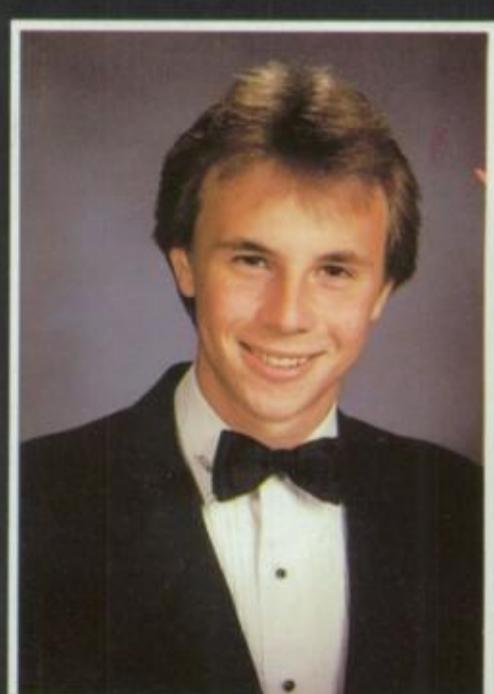
Lisa Carroll

"Good girls go to heaven, bad girls go everywhere."



Breck Carter

"I have my faults but being wrong isn't one of them."

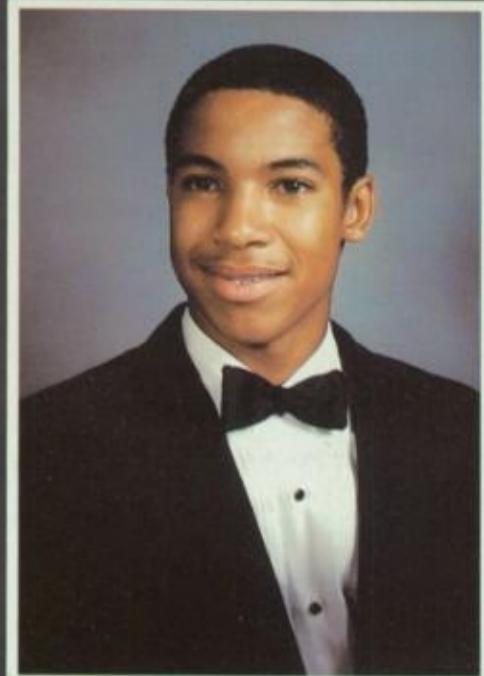


Tim Cash

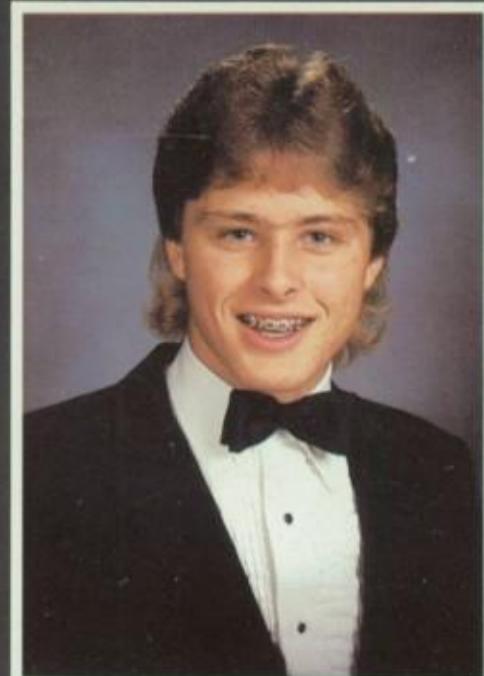
"Man is known by the results of his labor."



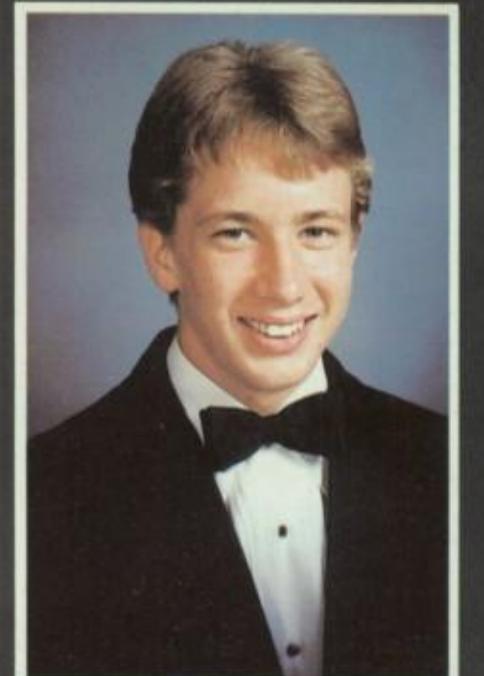
Vicki Cates



Fredrick Caver



Doug Champion



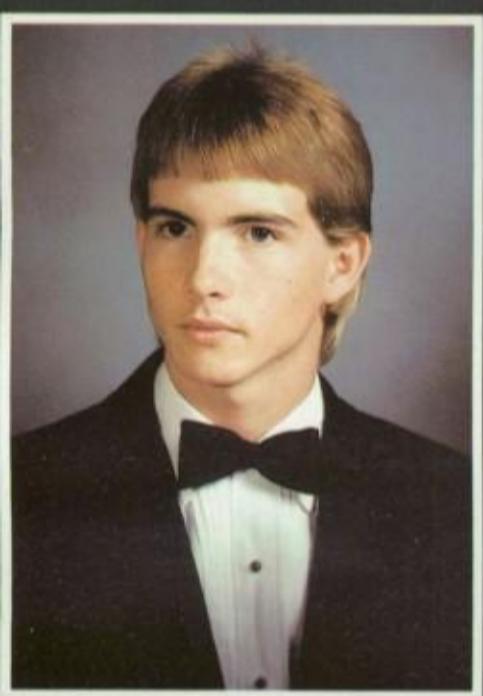
Reese Champion

"Do the very best you can and leave the outcome to God."

"Fred who's always one step ahead."

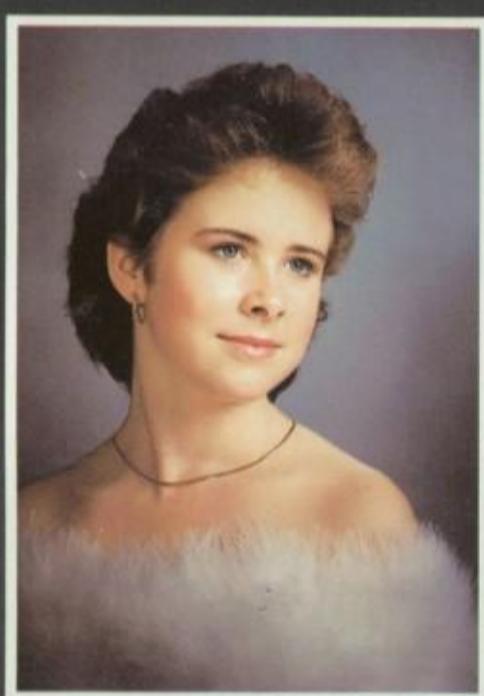
"If I could only do what I think of."

"Whenever I feel like studying, I just wait til the feeling goes away."



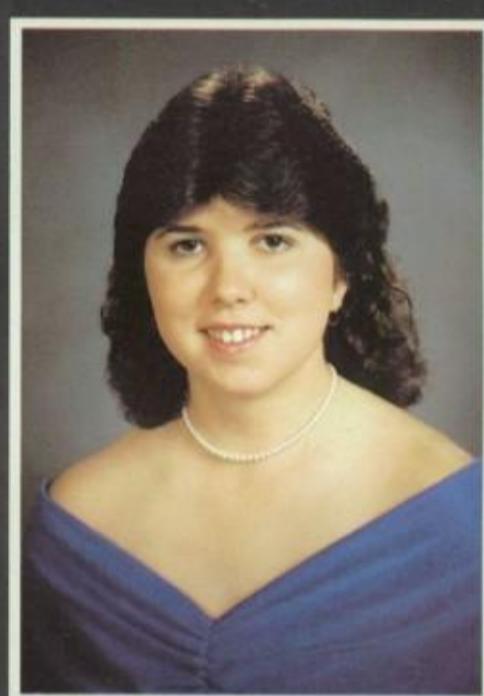
Mike Chitwood

"Try everything once and if you like it, try it again!"



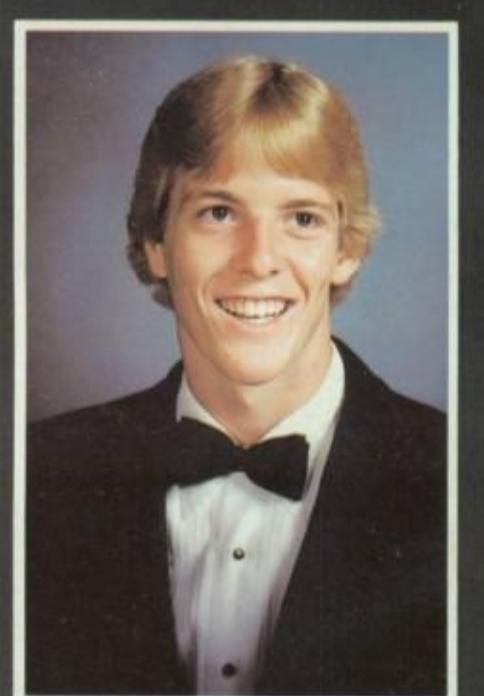
Angie Christopher

"Man cannot discover new oceans unless he has courage to leave shore."



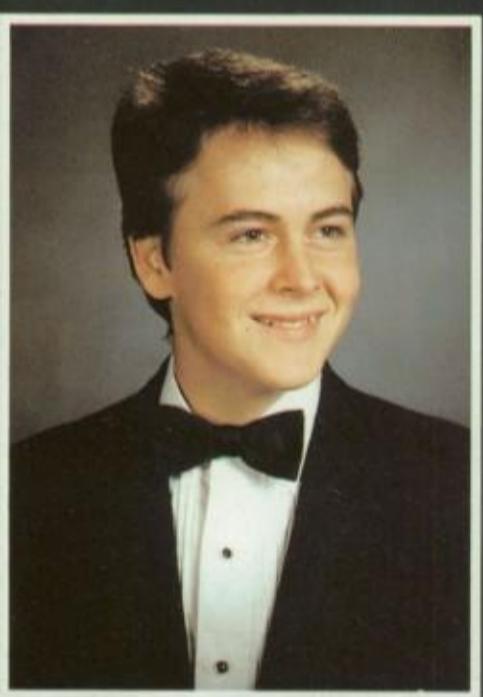
Debbie Clayton

"Remember yesterday, think of tomorrow, live for today."



Keith Coley

"I like work! I could sit and watch it for hours."



Michael Cook

"And I took the road less traveled."



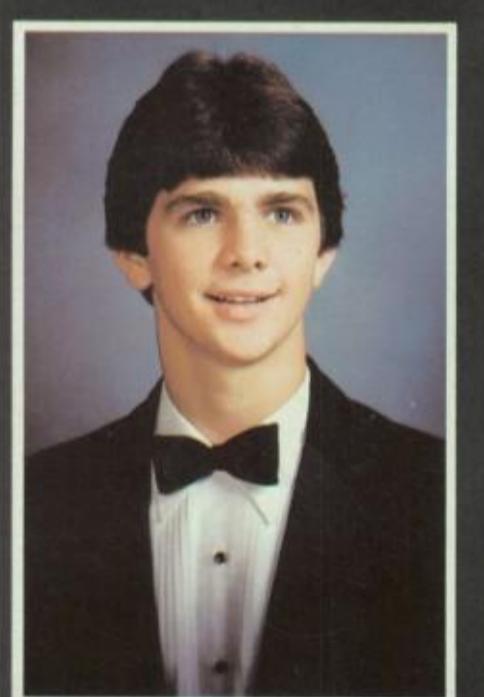
Todd Deason

"Trust me."



Jackaline Deerman

"The most wasted day of all is that in which we have not laughed."



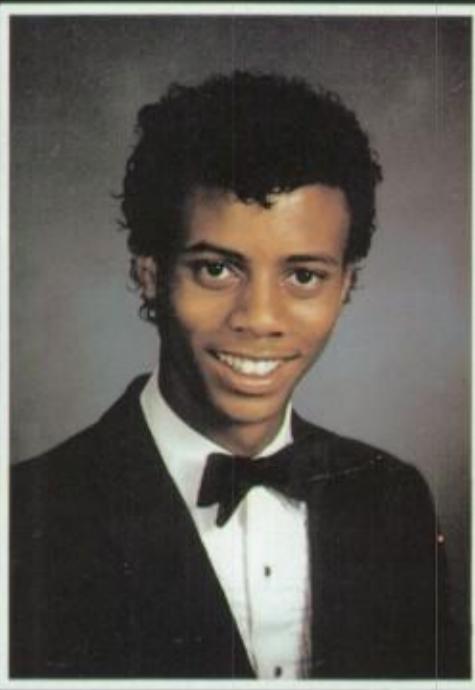
David Dempsey

"Who's scared of work?! I could sit and watch it all day."



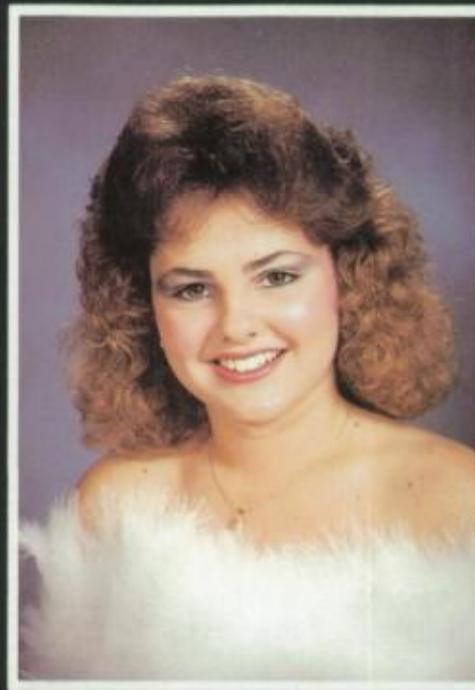
Michelle Denney

"Love and friendship are the greatest things in life."



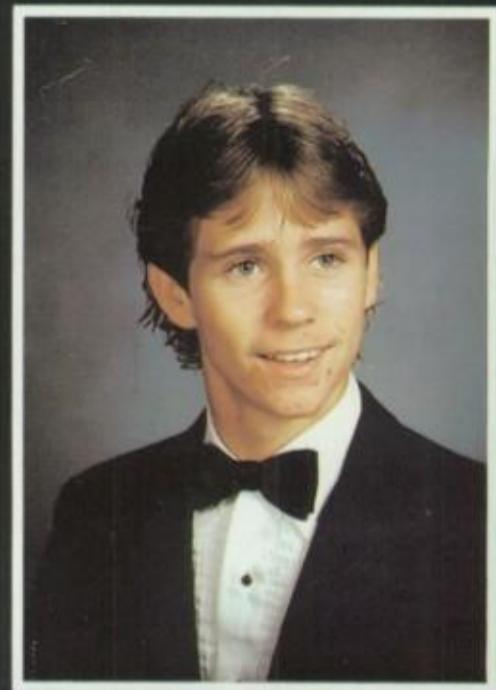
Randall Deramus

"I'm easy to please, just do things my way."



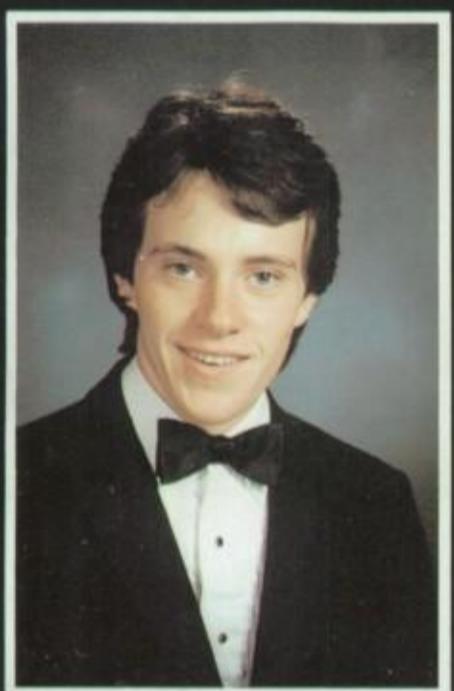
Tracy Derusha

"Why go around a mudpuddle when you can go through it?!"



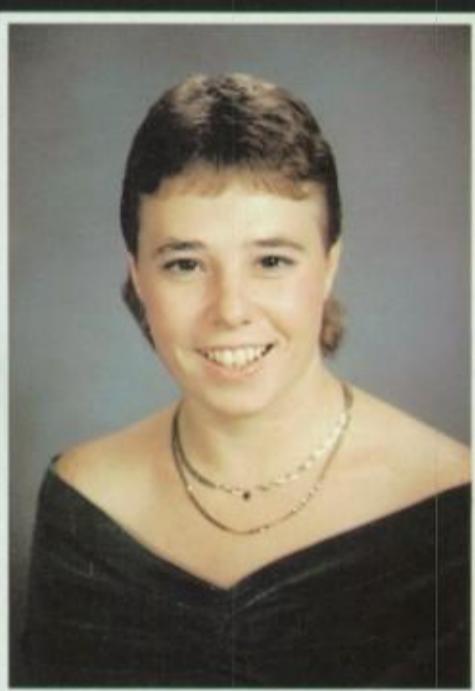
James Durdin

"When you have a problem, laugh at it and have a nice day."



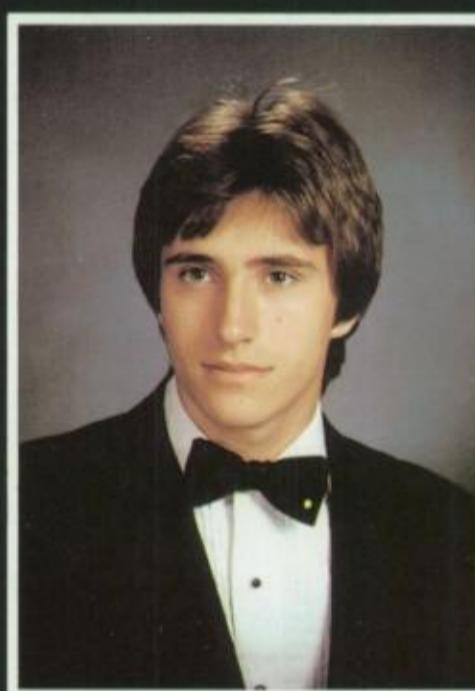
Brad Edwards

"What man can conceive, he can achieve."



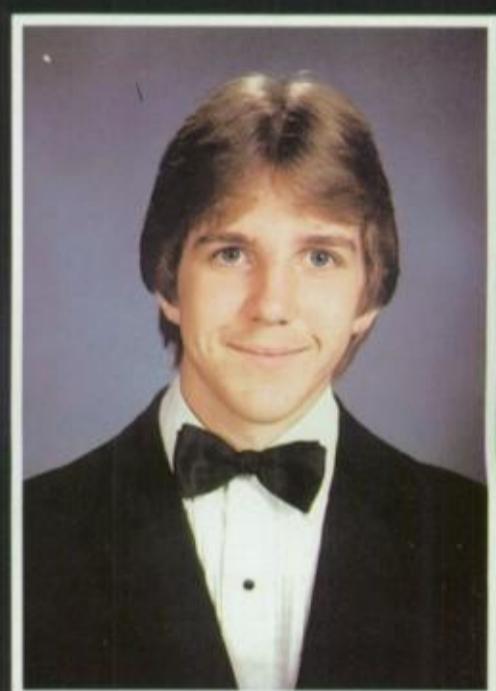
Tawana Ellis

"Know what you love & fight for it."



Steve Estes

"I made it!"



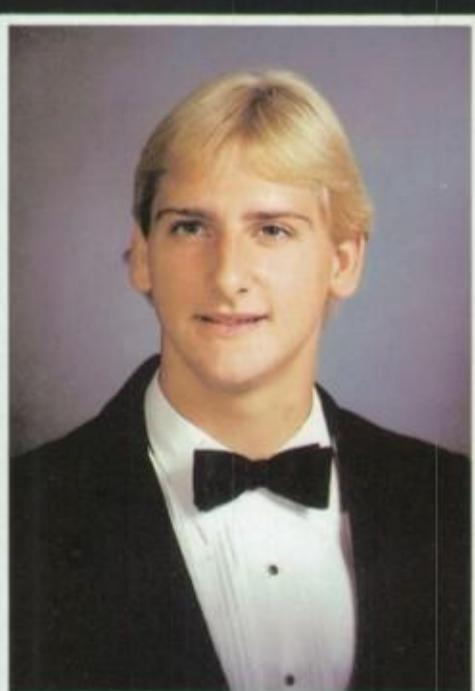
Barry Freeman

"I'm not lazy, I'm just conserving energy."



Amanda Gaines

"It matters not how long we live but how."



Anthony Garner

"I wonder who will rule the world when I am gone."



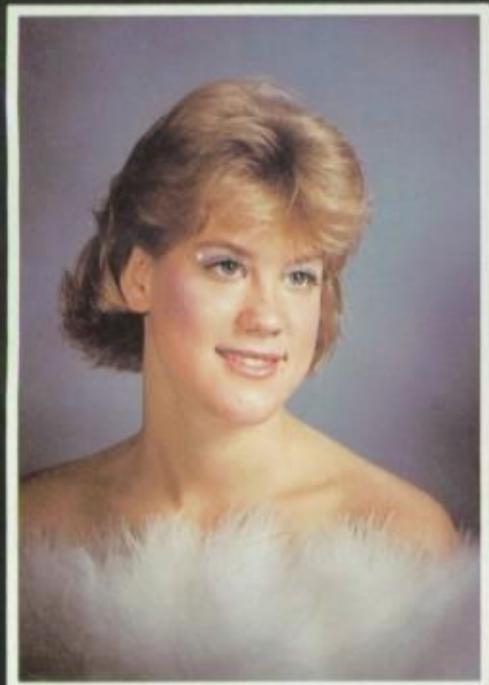
Debra Gilmore

"We don't stop playing because we grow old; we grow old because we stop playing."



Randy Goodson

"I'd rather be bowhunting."



Kristin Greene

"Greater is He that is in me than he that is in the world."



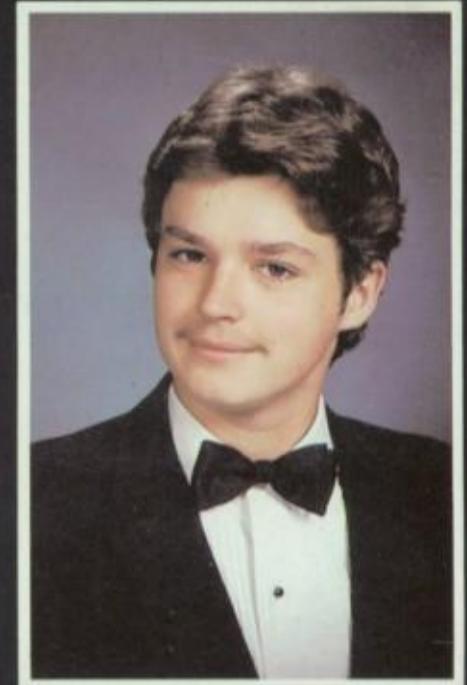
Marsha Green

"All I need is a little affection."



Francine Greenwade

"No one knows what the future will hold."



Thomas Griffith

"There must be something I can do."



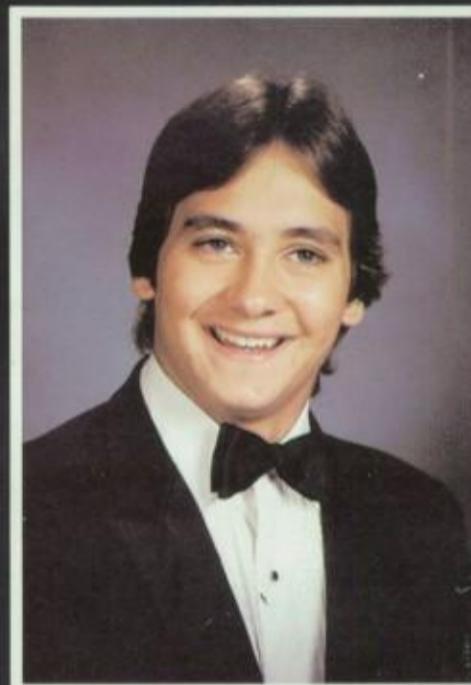
Penny Grizzard

"If you always face the sunshine, shadows will fall behind."



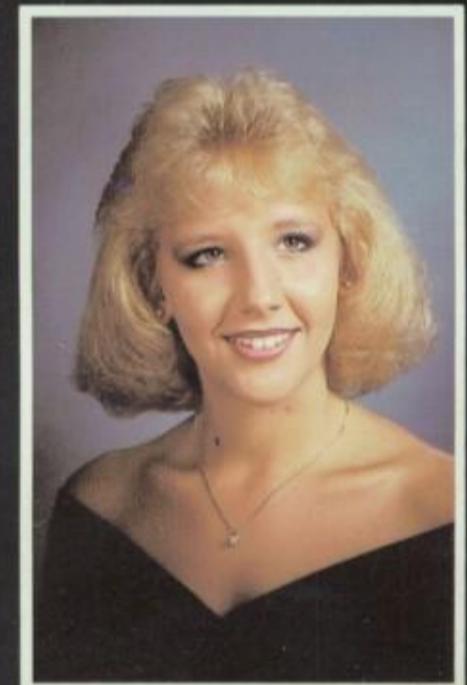
Shannon Hall

"Happiness is not having what you want, but wanting what you have."



Keith Harmon

"Never let homework interfere with your high school career."



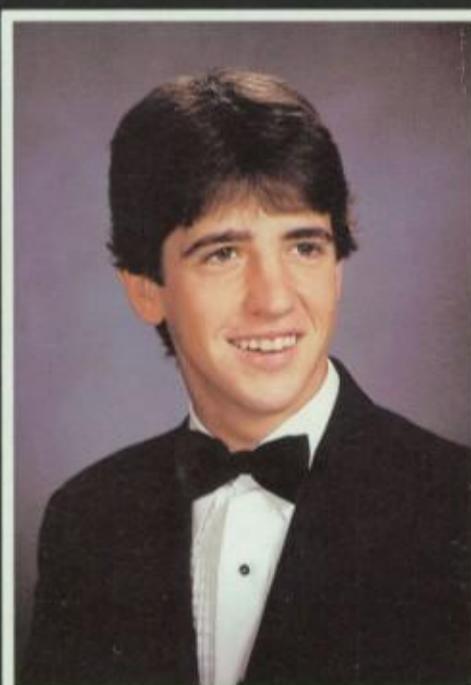
Lagina Henson

"Even in the darkest night His light shines through."



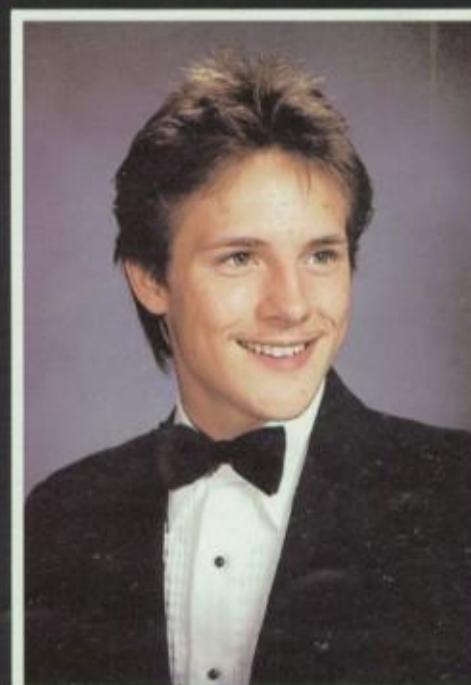
Kristi Helmeth

"I'm not saying we ought to misbehave; we ought to look as if we could."



Jackie Herring

"Be a live wire and you won't get stepped on."



Jeff Hines

"Of all noise, I think music is least disagreeable."



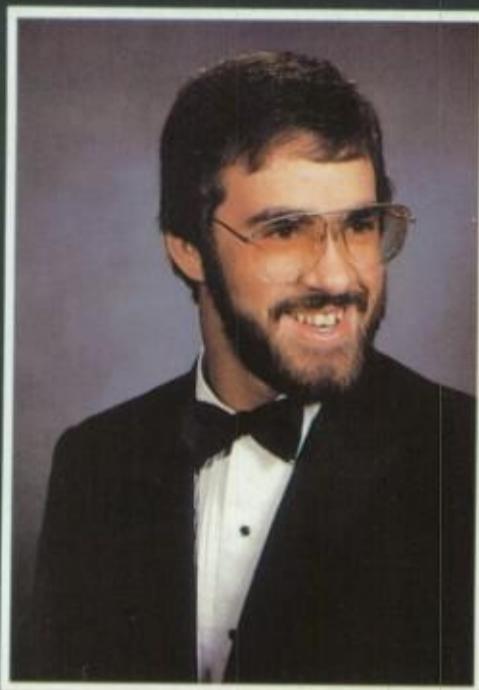
Vicki Holiday

"He who sees no evil does no evil."



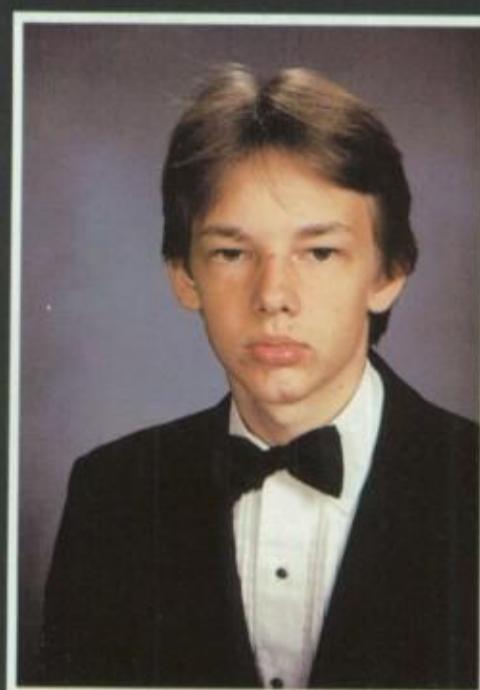
Lynn Hollis

"A loving heart is the beginning of all knowledge."



Matt Holmes

"A person is not born a great man through greatness one becomes a man."



Wayne Holt

"Good friends and good times; a winning combination."



Angela Holyfield

"Wild & Crazy."



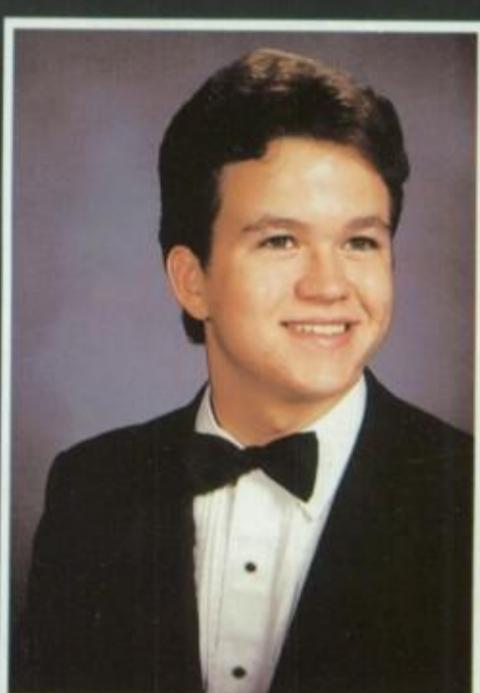
Caroline Holyfield

"It's not what you do, it's what you get caught doing."



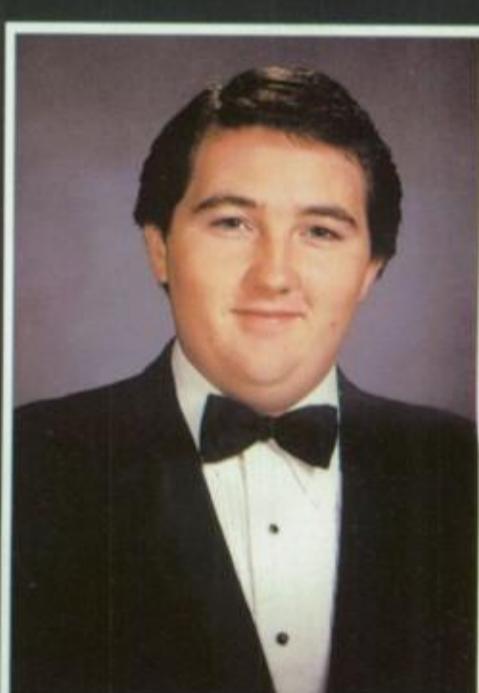
Lynn Houck

"My faith doesn't rest with the stars, but with the One who made them."



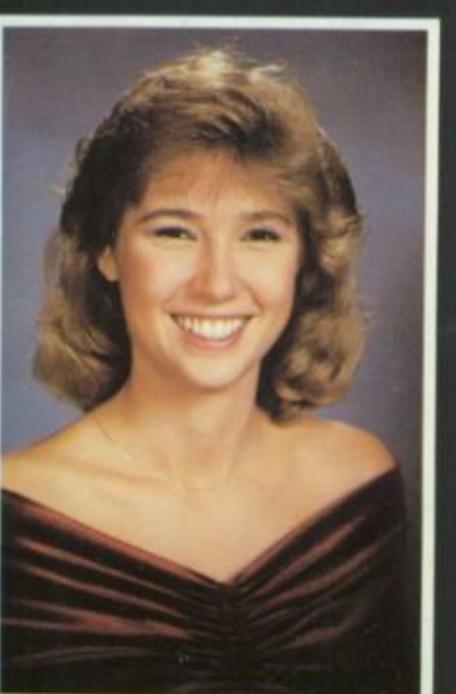
Jake Hubbard

"Take care of me — good men are hard to find."



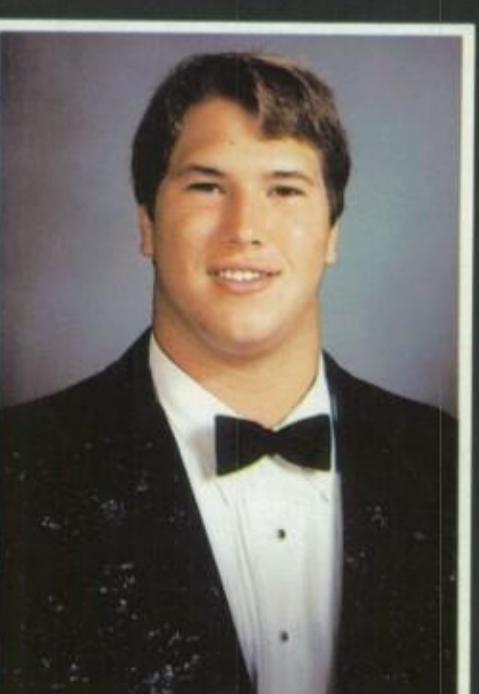
Jeff Hyatt

"You are never fully dressed without a smile."



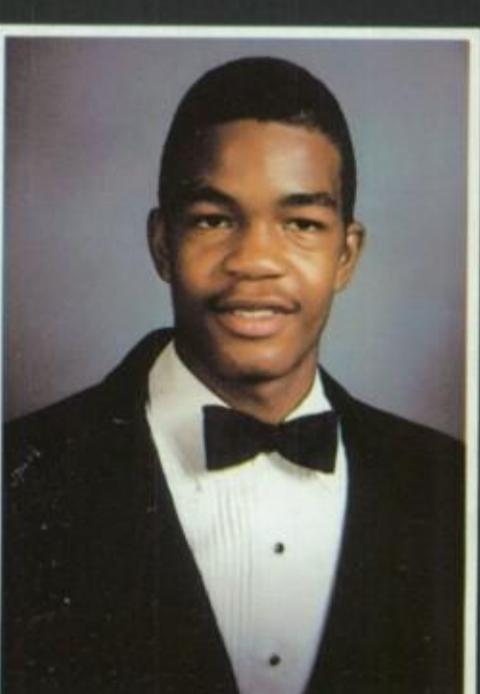
Melissa Johnson

"There is no difficulty that love will not conquer."



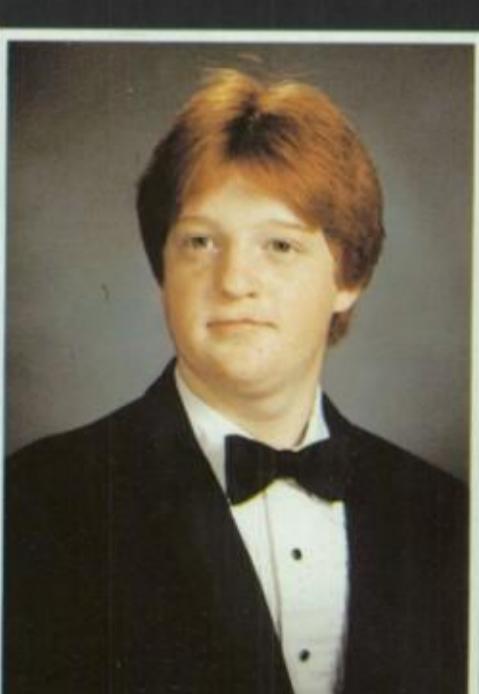
Noel Johnson

"Some people climb the ladder of success; I'll just take the elevator."



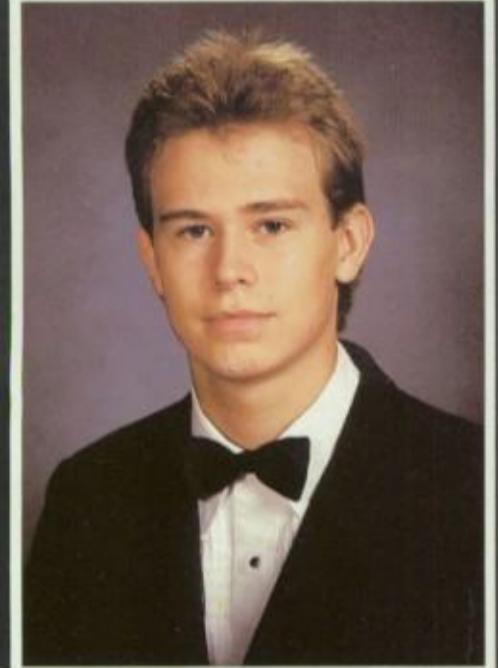
Henry Jones

"I'll agree with you, but you're wrong."



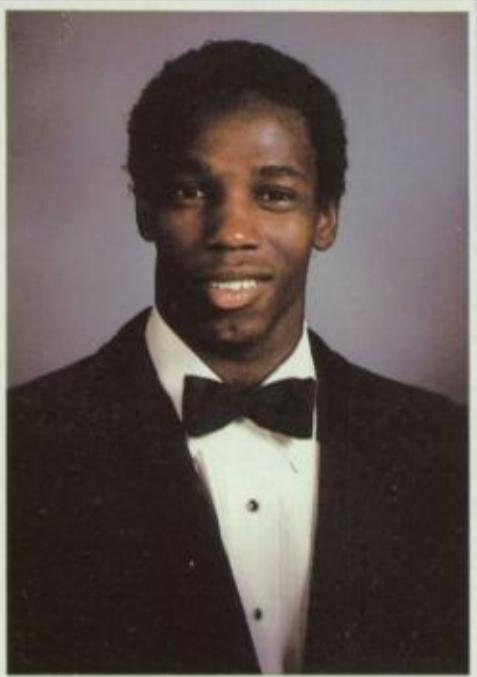
Kevin Jones

"Life is one long process of getting tired."



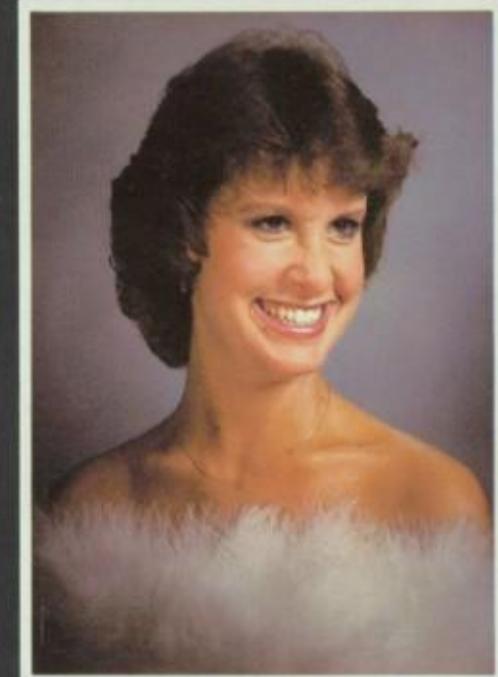
Chris Kelley

"I don't wish to be rich and famous; to be rich and unknown will do."



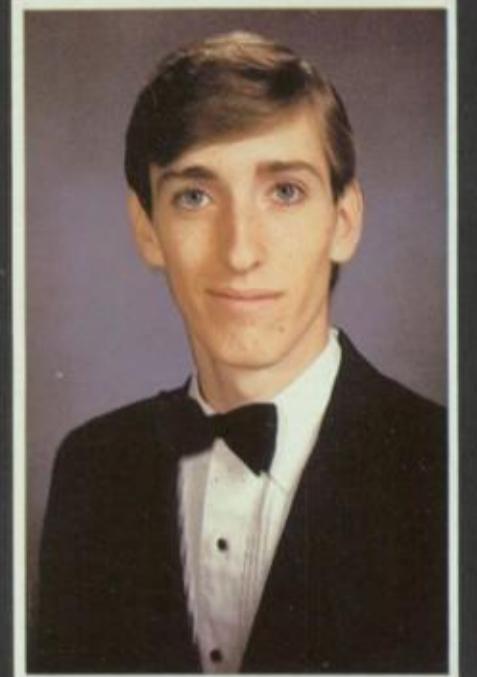
Rony Kelley

"An athlete is never strong enough, a student is never smart enough."



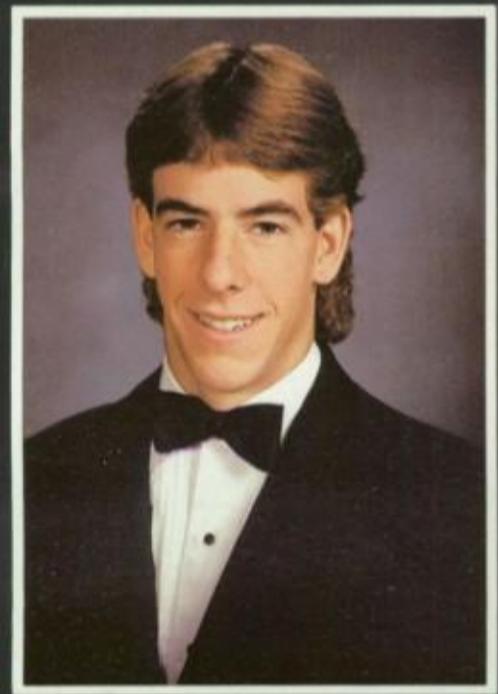
Janine Kemp

"One should always remain in love; so never marry."



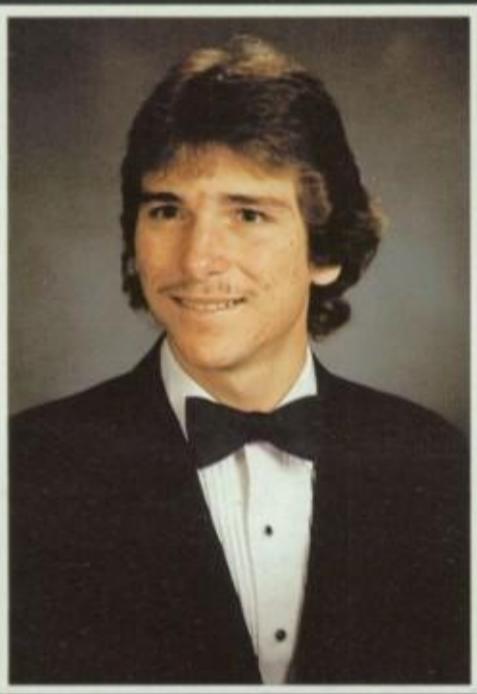
Roy Knepp

"Having the knowledge to do something unkown to others."



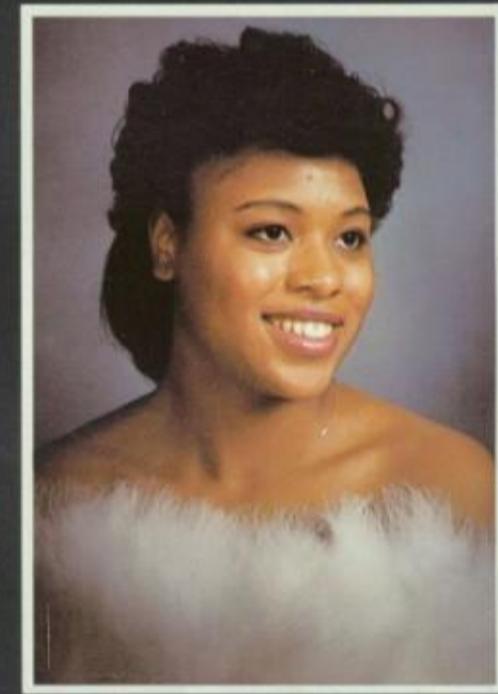
Jeff Knight

"If you can't be good, be good at it."



Monroe Lackey

"When I party, I party hardy."



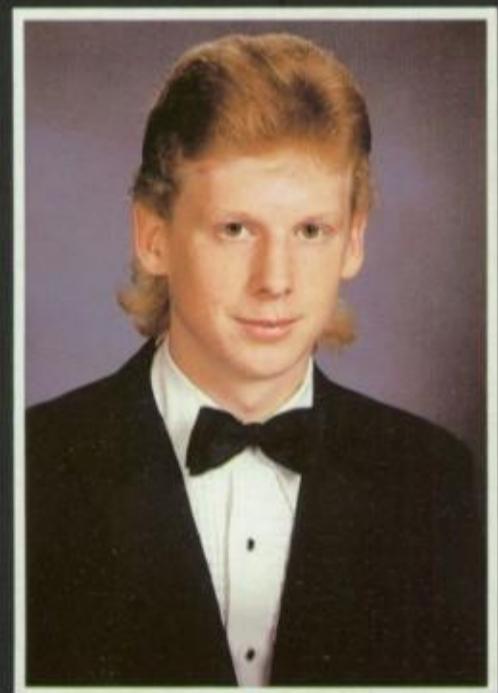
Cynthia Lee

"Living from day to day is an experience for me."



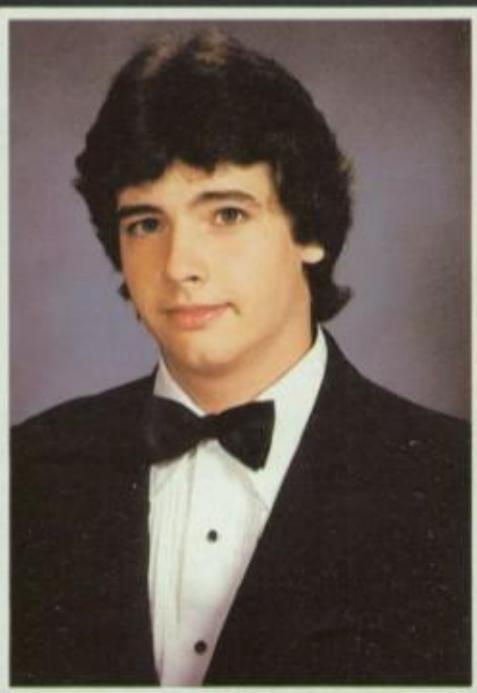
Alison Leemaster

"Love is like war; easy to begin, but very hard to stop."



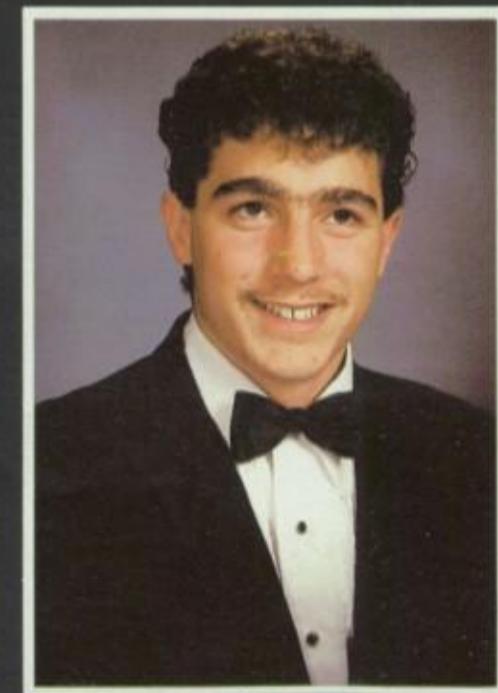
Jonathon Lindbolm

"Life is such a fantasy, can you live this fantasy life."



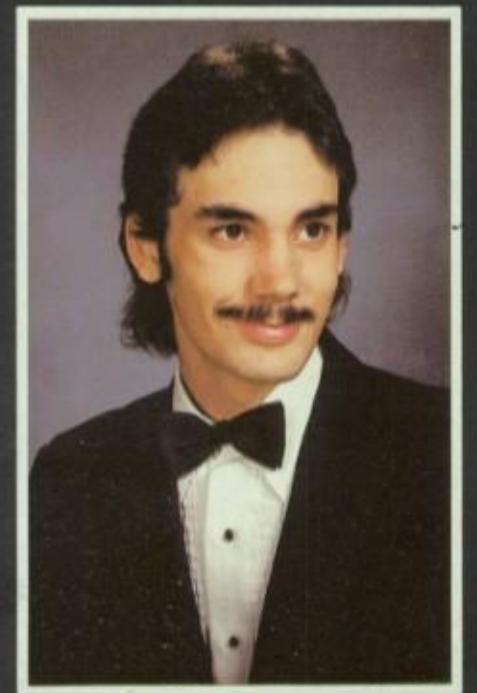
Jeff Lipham

"You only live once so party to the max."



Thomas Loyd

"NEVER, NEVER, NEVER QUIT."



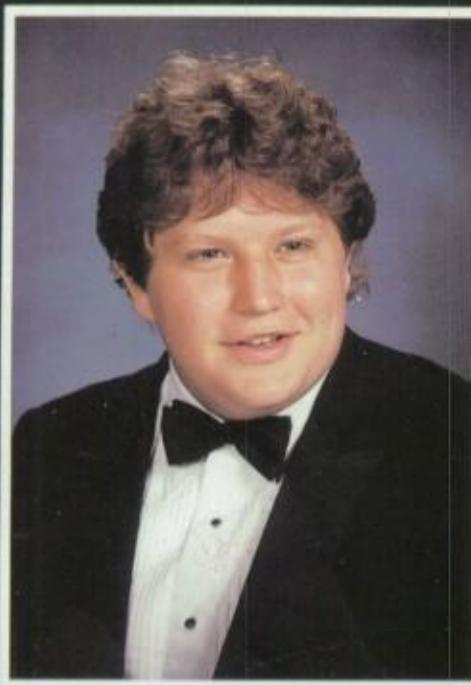
Eddie Mahaffey

"A pinch of kindness with a lot of mischief."



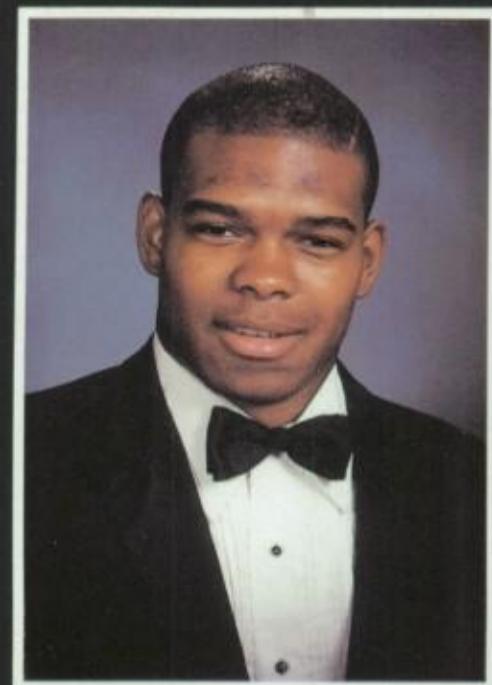
Latrese Malone

"Be yourself and leave custom to those who need it."



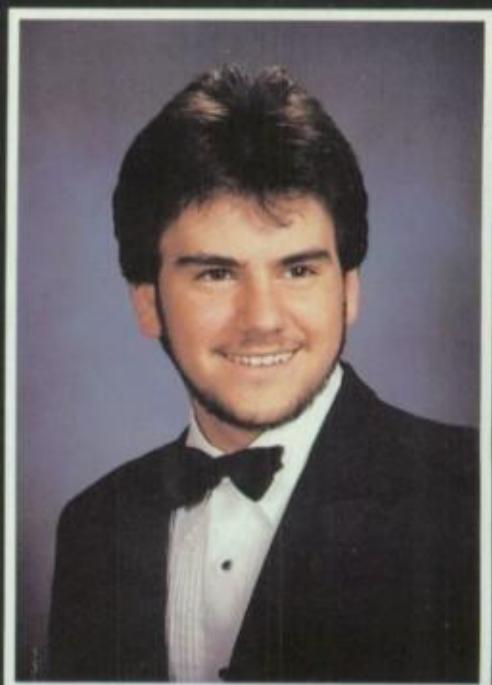
Bobby Marable

"The best is yet to come."



Ronald Martin

1 Corinthians 10:31



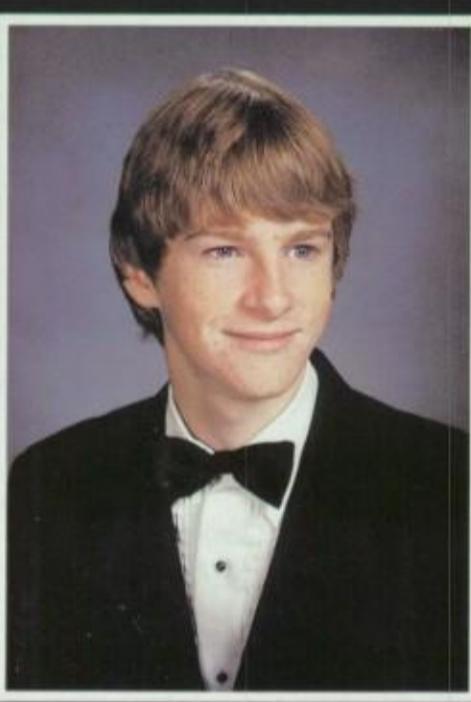
Jon Maydole

"What if? Just what if?!"



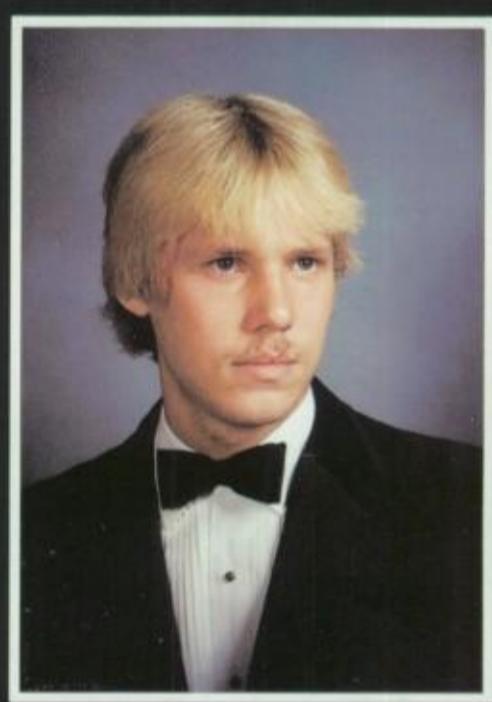
Christi McCarty

"A tactful person is one who can insult you without letting you know it."



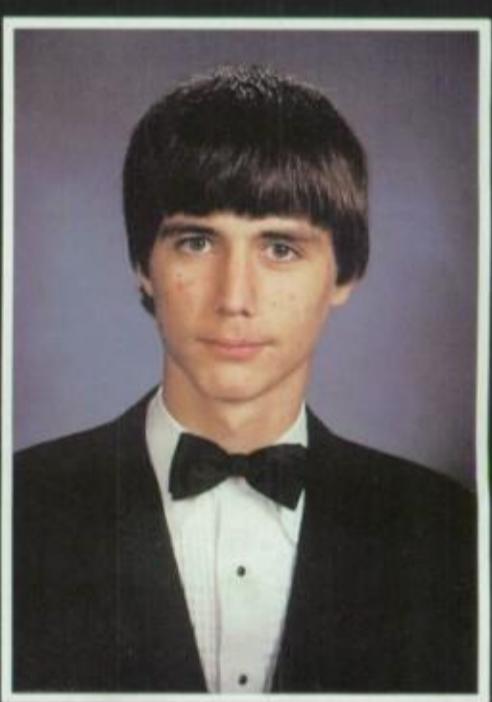
James McConathy

"He who starts many jobs finishes but a few."



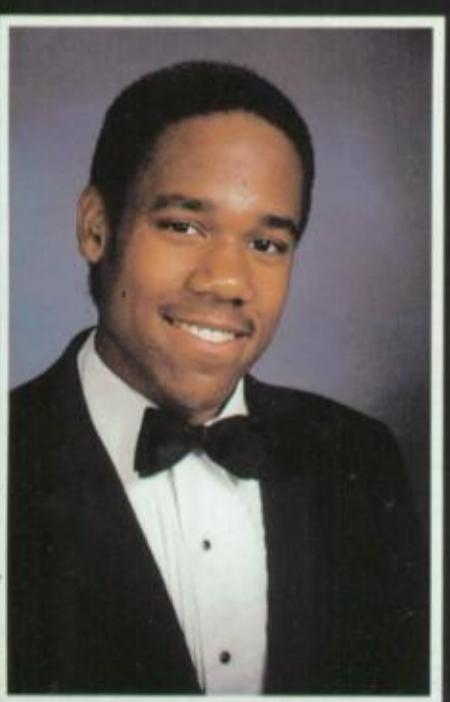
Billy McCormick

"Forgive your enemies, but don't forget their names."



Derrek McCormick

"There is a time and a place for everything."



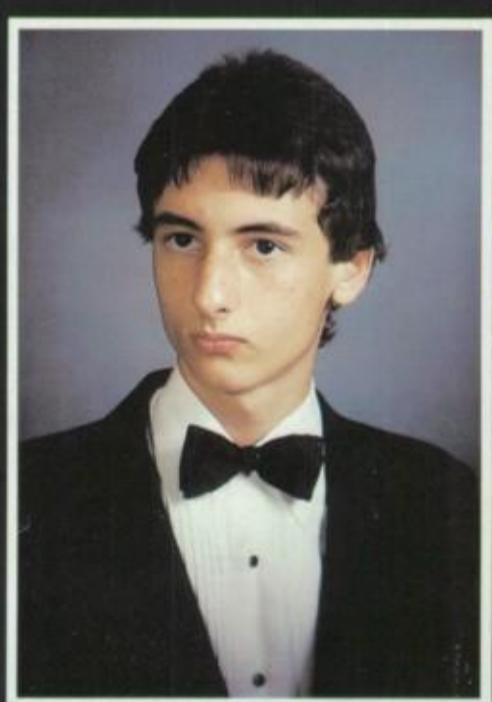
Brent McCurry

"Everyone has a purpose in life."



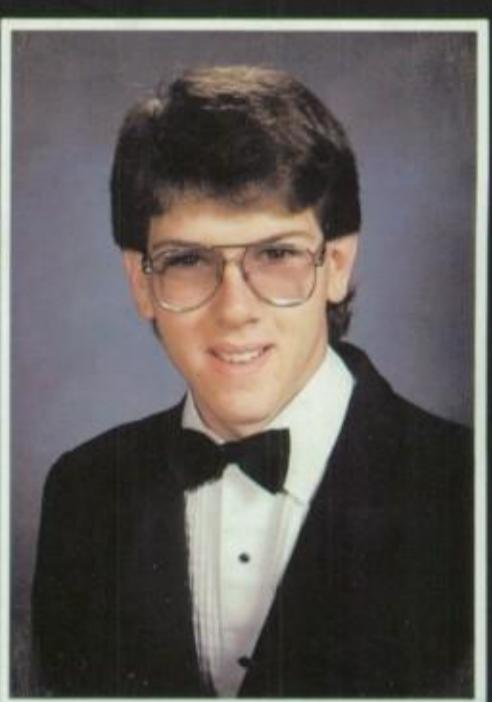
Dyanna McNatt

"Keep stars in your eyes, wisdom in your mind, and love in your heart."



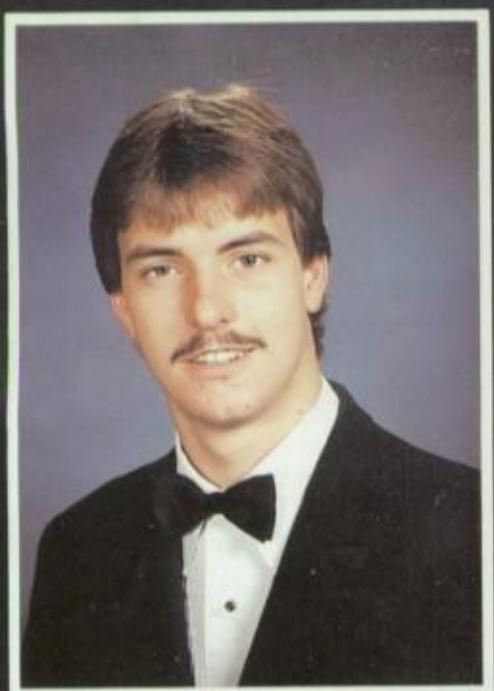
Mark Medlen

"Silence is what you don't hear when you listen."



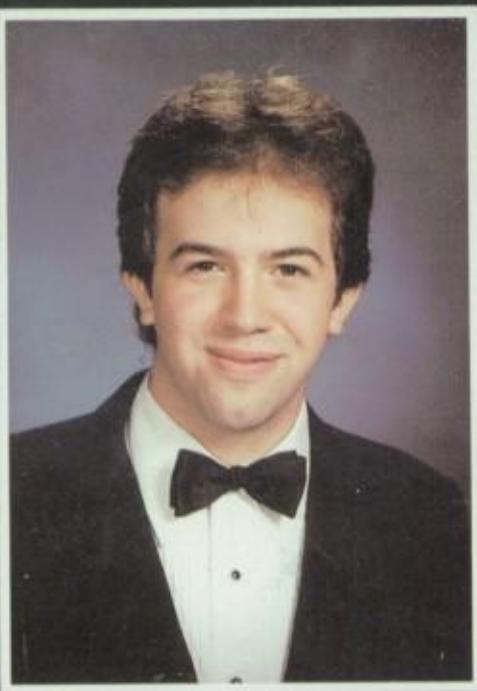
David Miller

"First God created idiots; this was for practice. Then he made school boards."



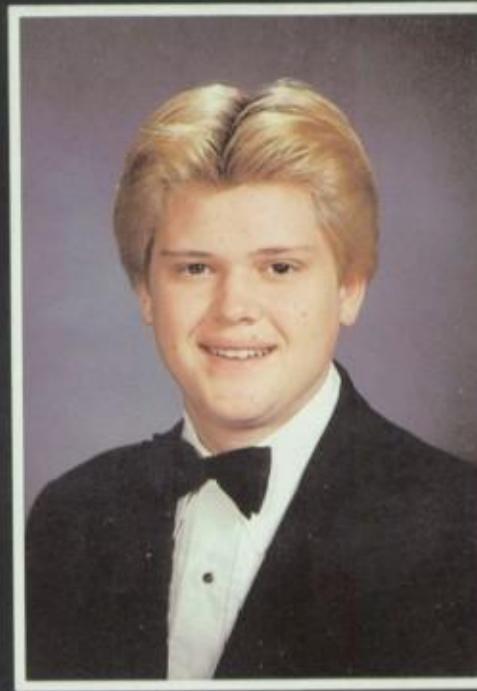
Rickey Miller

"There is no difficulty that love will not conquer."



Keith Mitchell

"If you can't stand the heat, get out of the kitchen."



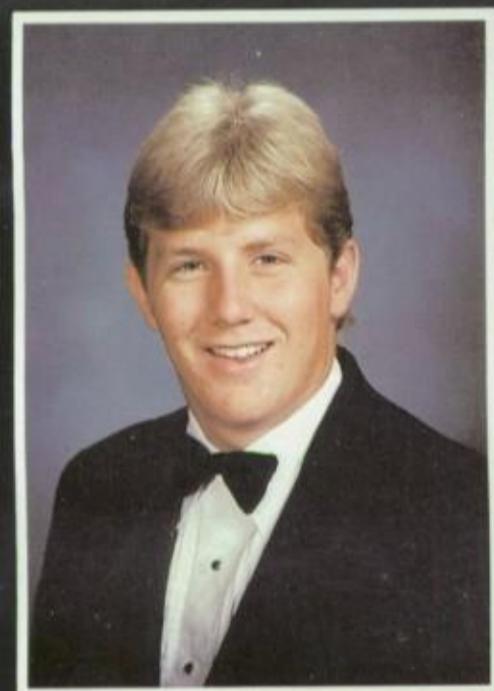
Scott Moore

"Don't let studying stand in the way of your high school career."



Kathy Morgan

"On the road to wisdom, we pass through life."



David Morrison

"Which way to the beach?!"



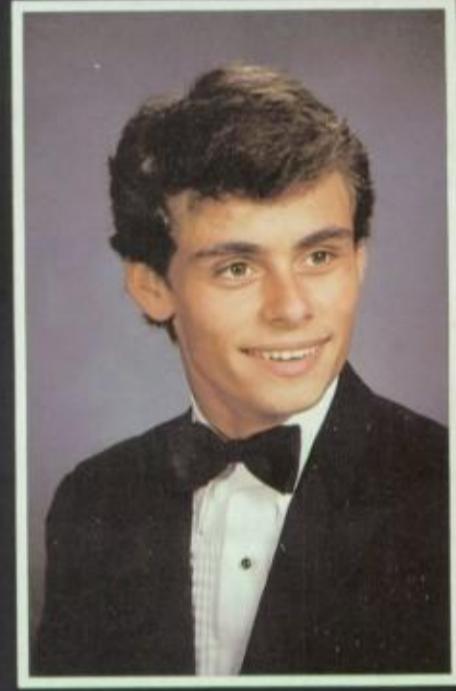
Sherry Mosher

"Her heart is like a pot of gold — hard to get, hard to hold."



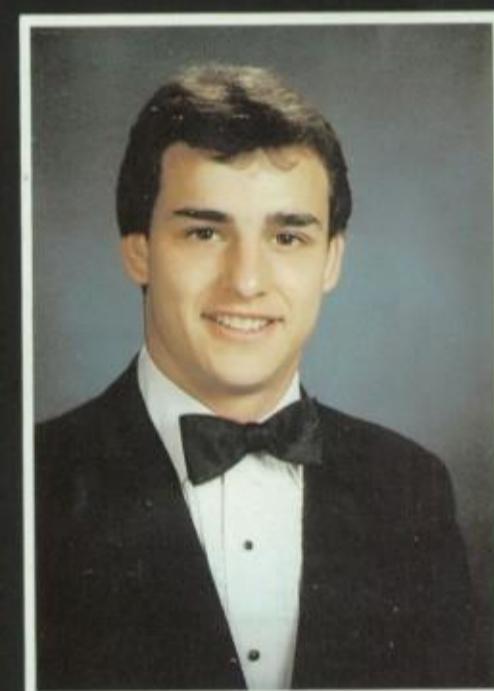
Kim Nelson

"All people smile in the same language."



Ricky Norred

"Let's go fishin' . . ."



David Norton

"I don't want to break a lot of hearts, I just want to bend a few."



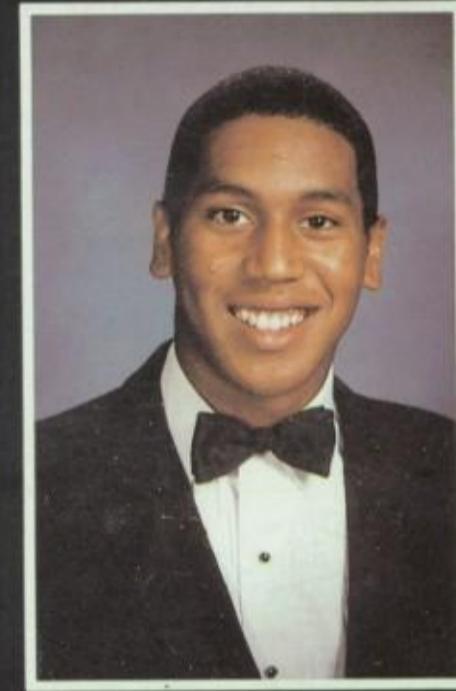
David Owen

"Enjoy yourself as you may, tomorrow is another day."



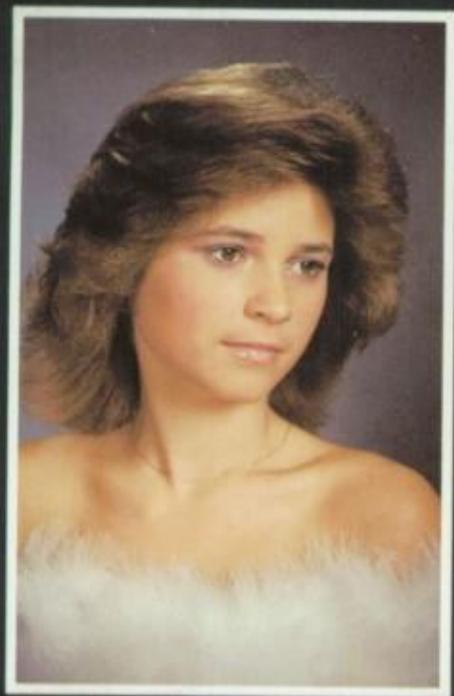
Lisa Owen

"All men are worthless to her except one."



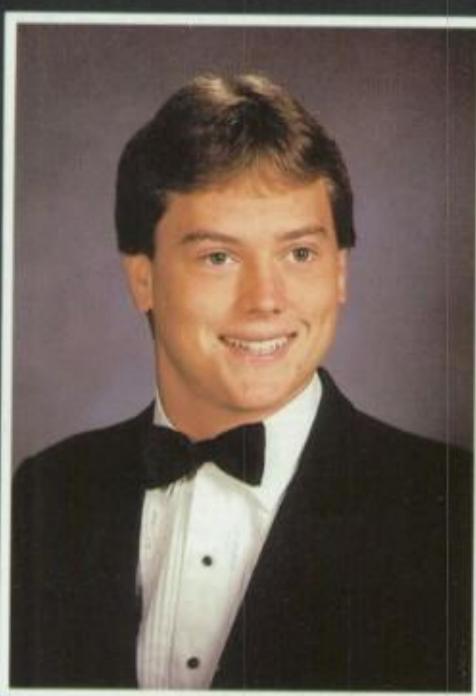
Fred Patton

"It's lonely at the top."



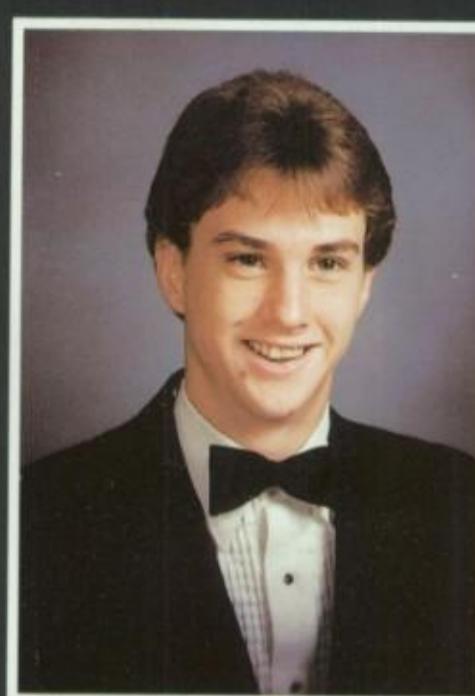
Kim Pettus

"Quiet in appearance but with motives unknown."



Tim Pilkington

"All I want out of school is myself."



John Poore

"You've been tricked."



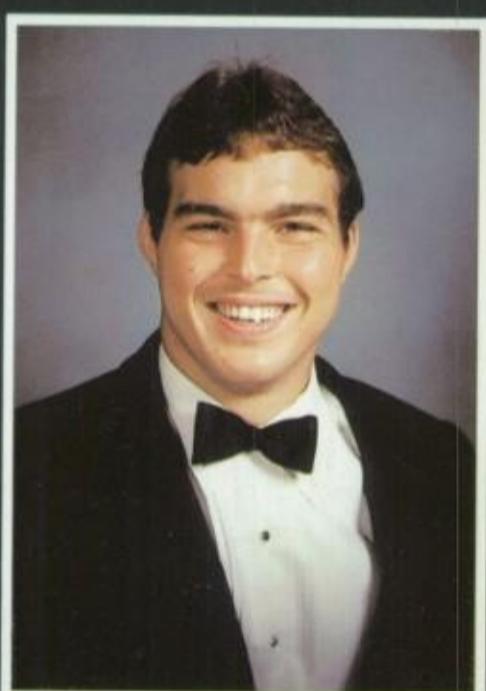
Anita Porter

"My future is fragile, I'm going to handle it with care."



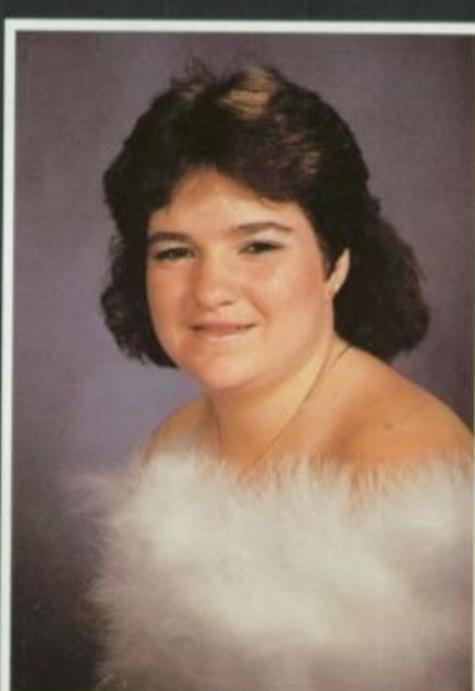
Shaye Ramsey

"It's easy to smile when you know someone cares."



Steve Raughton

"The person who does his best should never fear failures for he is a success."



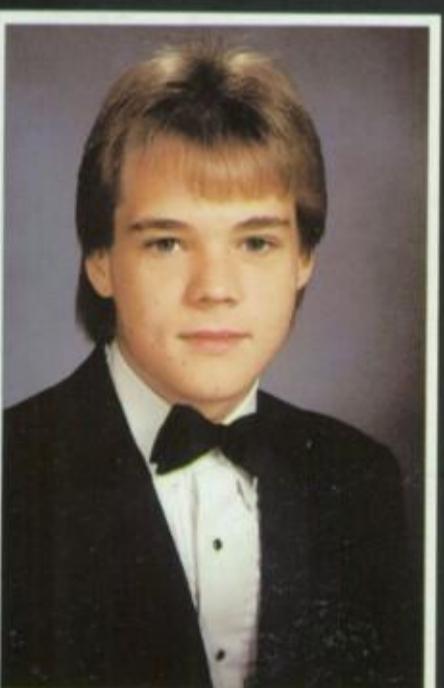
Kim Reed Burnham

"Before you meet your handsome prince, you have to kiss a lot of toads."



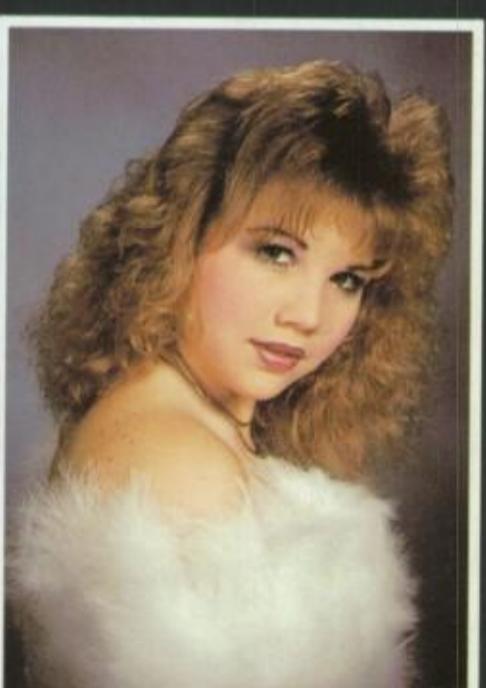
Kim Ridley

"Life is like money; it's not how much you have, it's how you spend it."



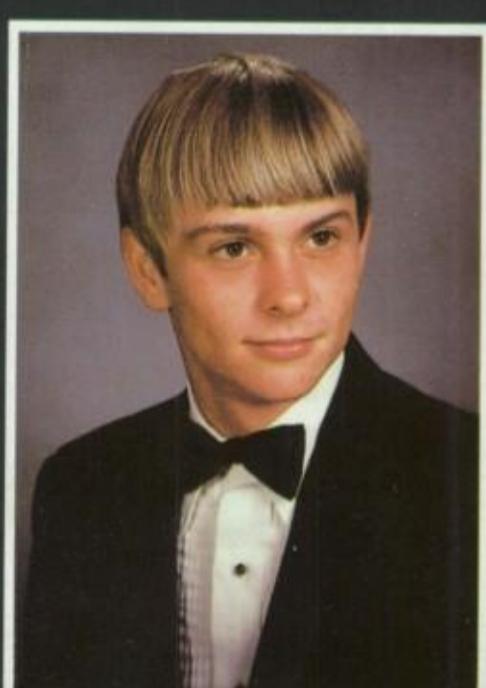
Jeff Rimel

"If it feels good, DO IT!"



Jennifer Rimel

"Life is sweet when you know where to get your sugar."



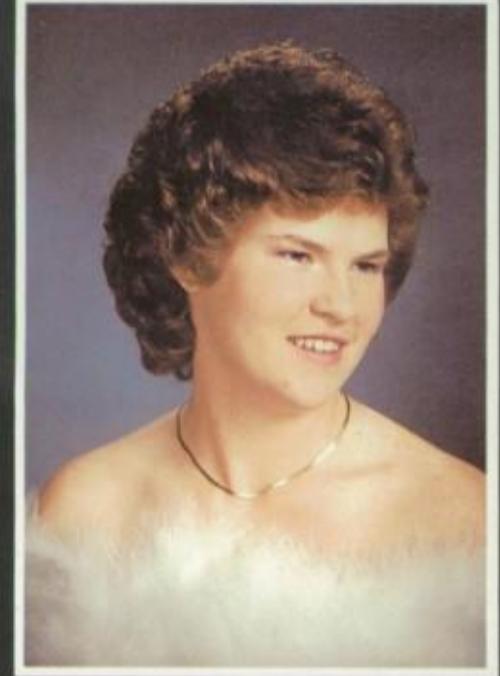
Kevin Roberts

"Hard work never hurt anyone but I'm not taking any chances."

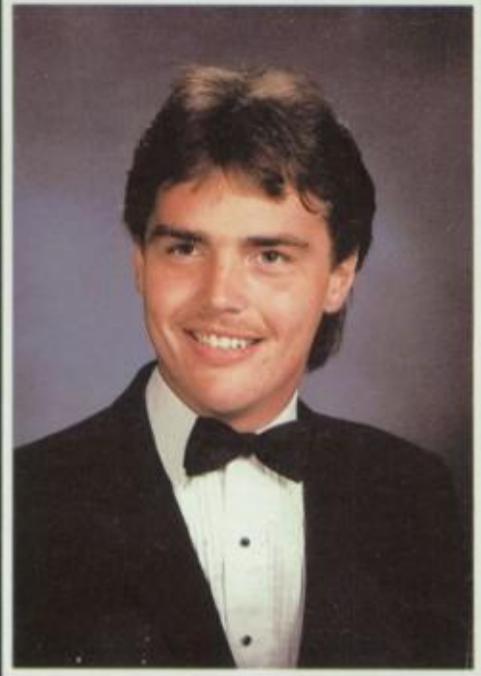


Terri Roberts

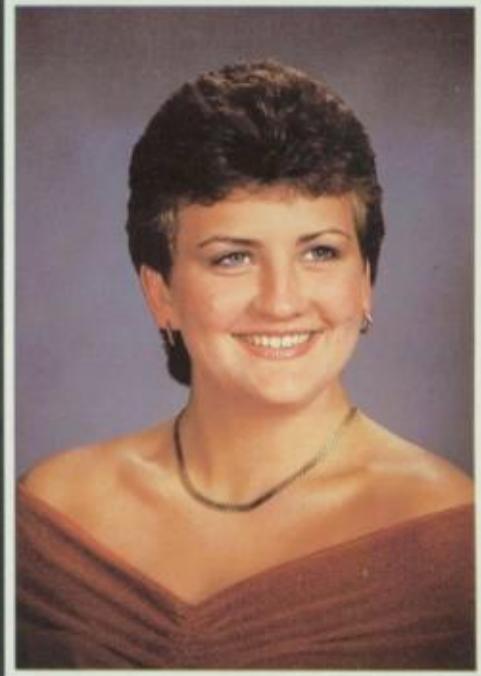
"Angel in her eyes, devil in her smile."



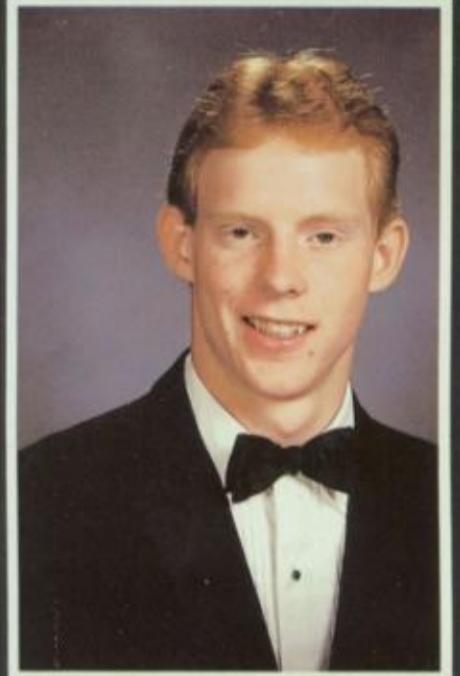
Christi Robinson



Leo Searcy



Pat Setliff



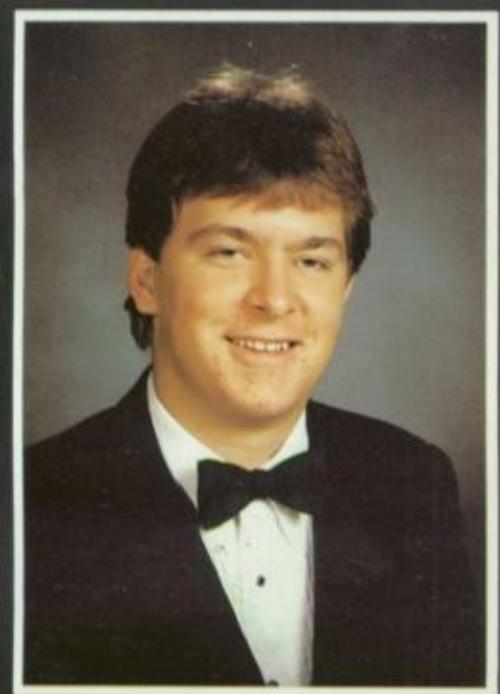
Mark Shaw

"The art of being wise is the art of knowing what to overlook."

"I know I'm destined for something great but I don't know what it is yet."

"Cherish yesterday, dream for tomorrow, live for today."

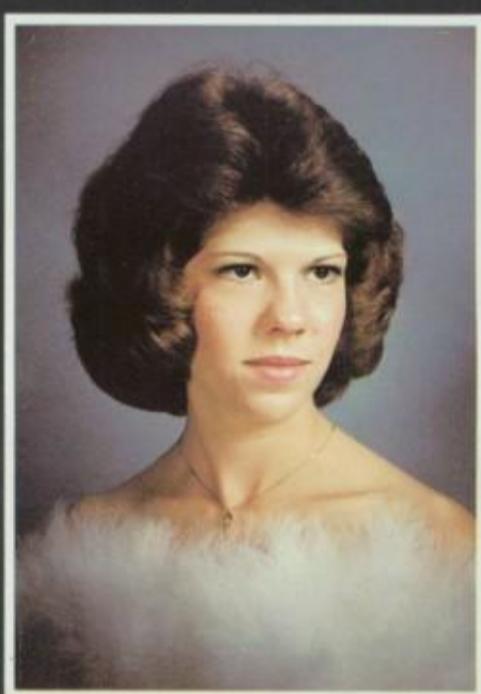
"Work is work and must be done nevertheless he has his fun."



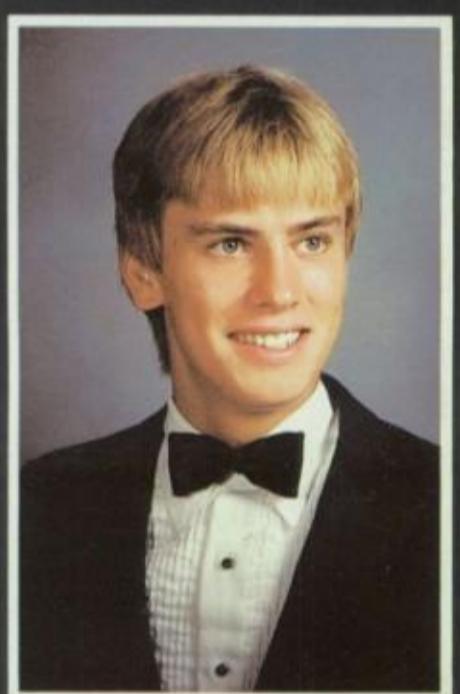
Richard Sherrow



Krista Shropshire



Nona Sims



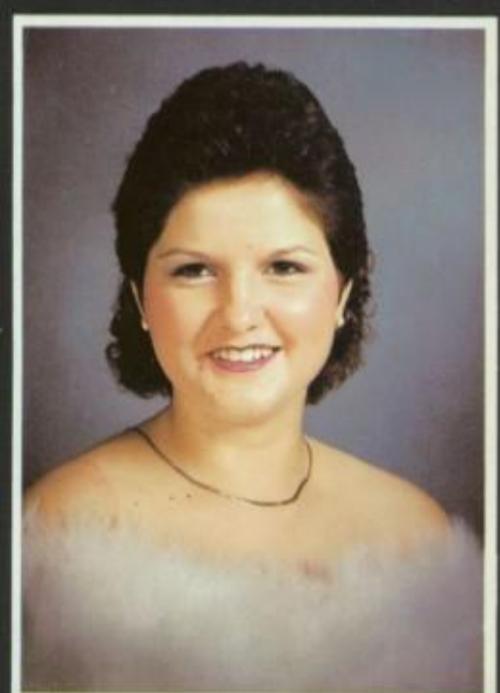
David Skeen

"One of the pleasures of life is doing what others tell you not to."

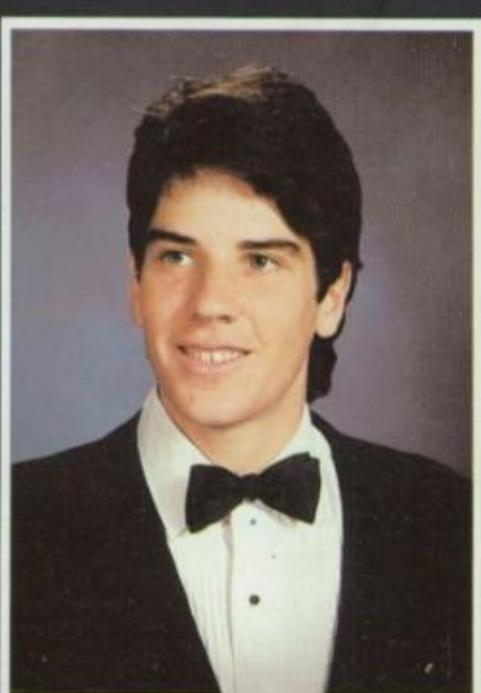
"You can give without loving, but you can't love without giving."

"Look for the good things in life and you'll find them."

"Once you get everything you want, you won't have anything to hope for."

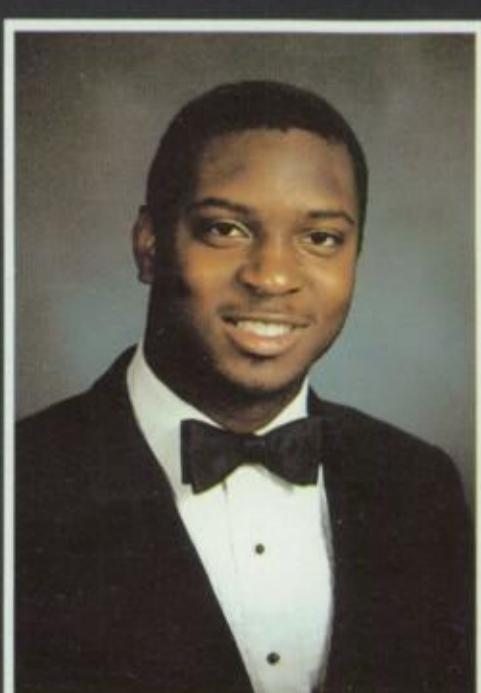


Shelby Sparks



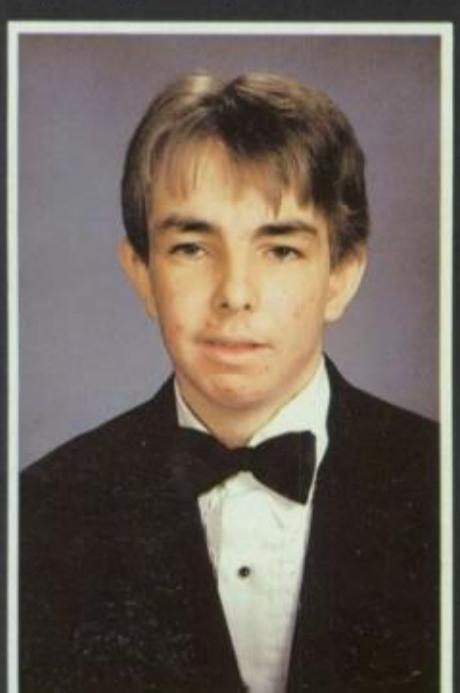
David Smith

"Hi Mom!"



Harold Smith

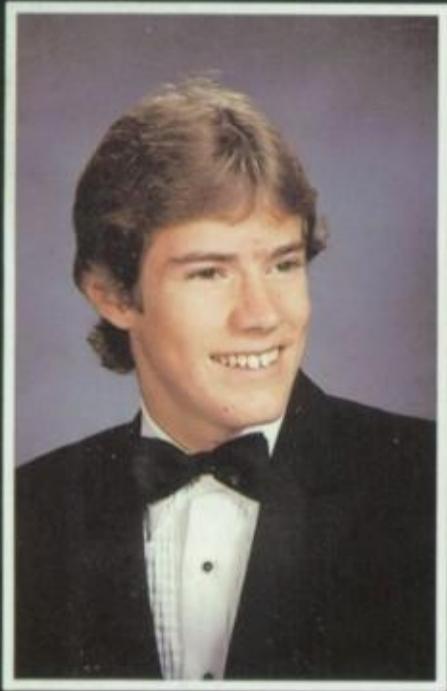
"Standing tall, looking good, this guy ought to be in Hollywood."



Darryl Stephens

"Life is like a mirror — we get the best results when we smile."

"A great experience. Now looking for a better future."



Jeff Strickland

"How can I tell what I think  
til I see what I say."



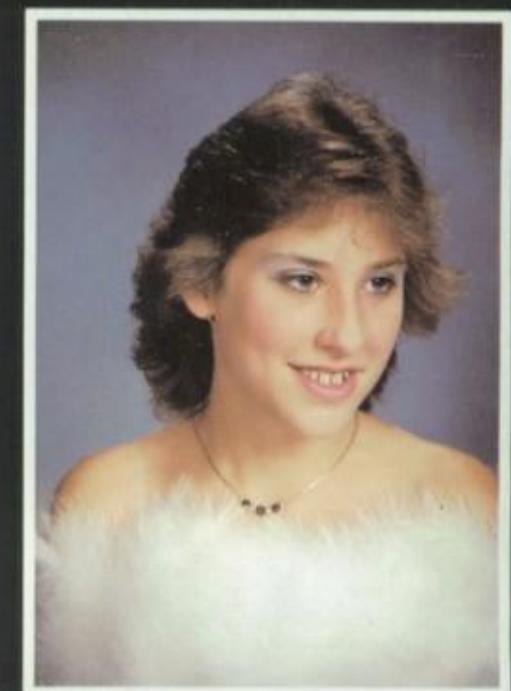
Sonia Strong

"A smile that comes from one's  
heart brings out beauty in a  
person."



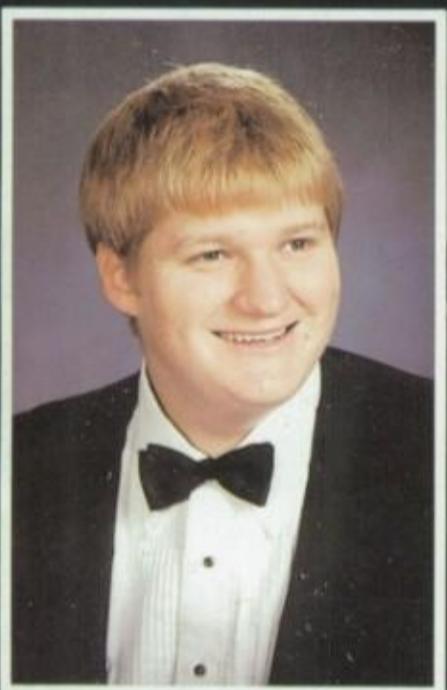
Judy Thagard

Philippians 3:14



Renae Thompson

"Happiness is not perfect un-  
til it is shared with a friend."



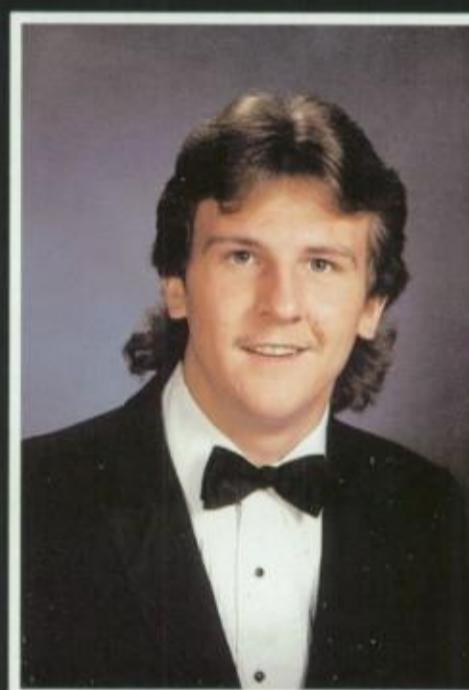
Danny Thompson

"You can succeed if you try."



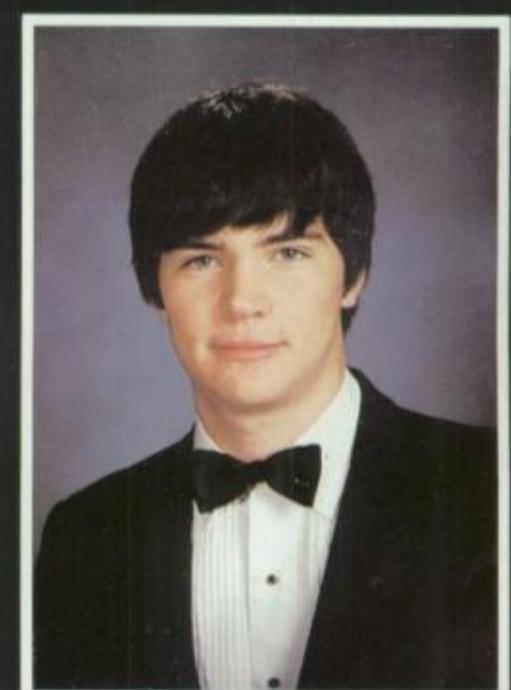
Michelle Towns

"In one ear and out the other  
but I heard you."



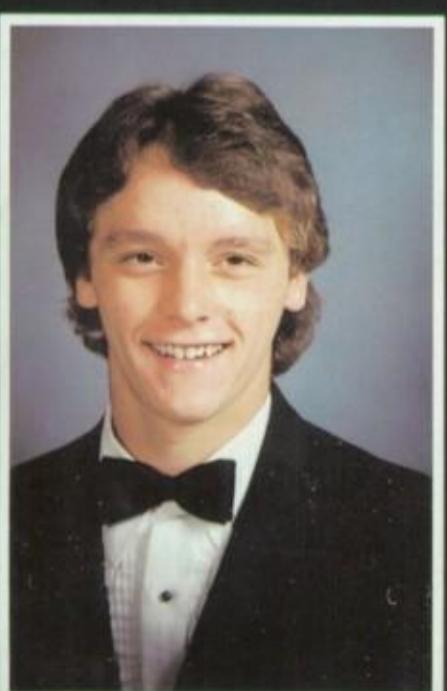
Scott Traywick

Sworn to fun, loyal to none."



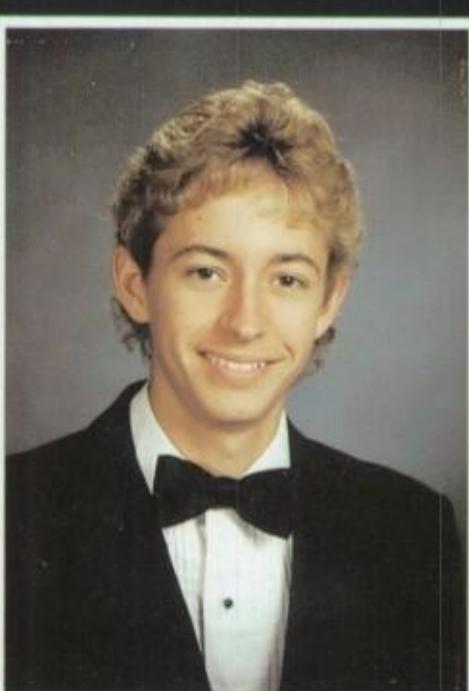
Eric Trull

"Those who can do; those who  
can't, teach."



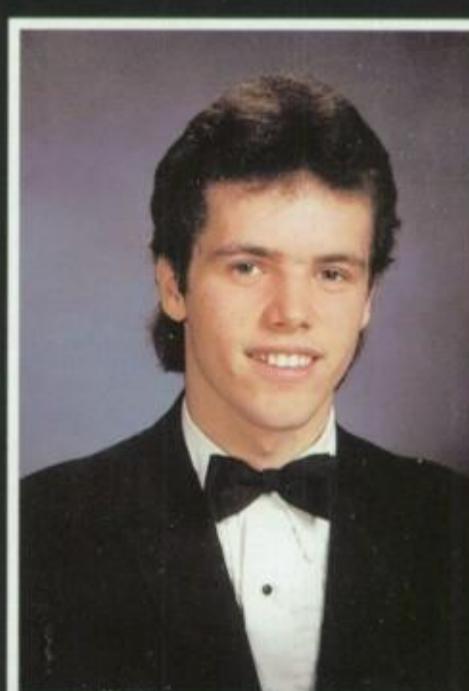
Barney Turner

"A true friend thinks of you  
when others think of  
themselves."



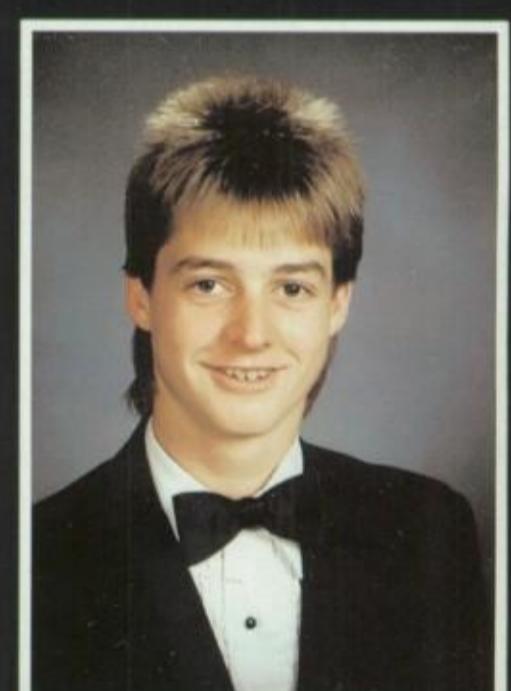
Ricky Tyree

"Life isn't fun; you have to  
make it that way."



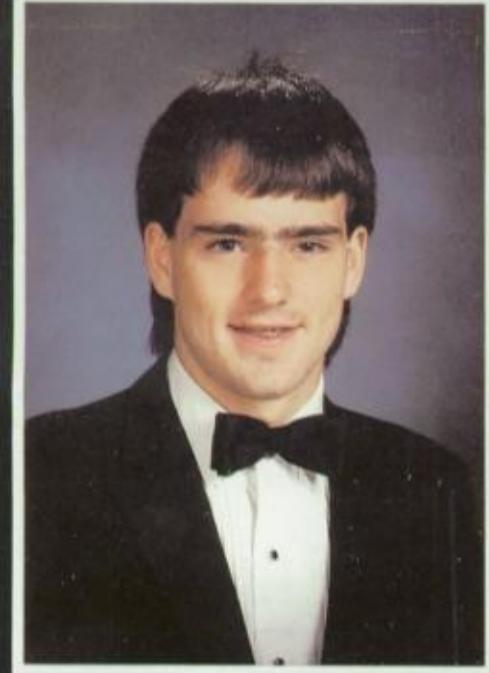
Wayne Vice

"Be good or be good at it."



Scott Vingers

"If you love something, set it  
free; if it comes back, KILL IT!"



Steven Waites

"All great men are dead. I don't feel so well myself!"



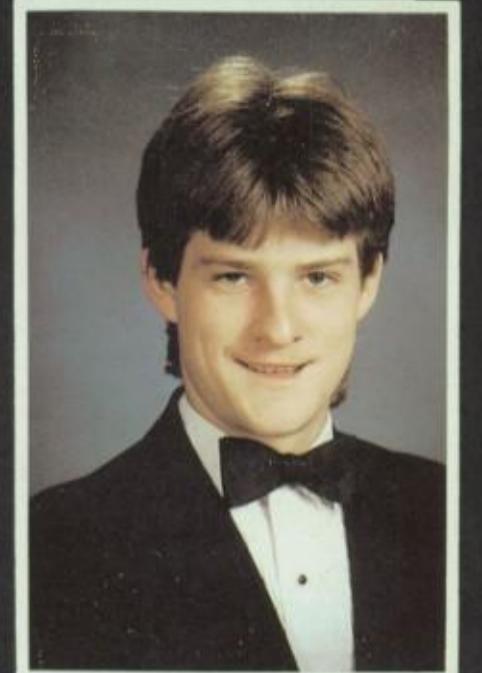
Pam Walker

"I don't need a lot of love but I do need a steady supply."



Dawn Ward

"Love may be blind but it seems to find its way around."



Allan Ward

"Why not?!"



Kelly Warren

"I fought a losing battle, but won the stars by someone's love."



Sharmon Watson

"Live for today, learn from yesterday, dream for tomorrow."



Vicki Watts

"Looks like I made it after all."



Jill Webber

"Eat, drink & be merry, for tomorrow you may fall in love."



Dywaunja West

"Don't love everybody — specialize."



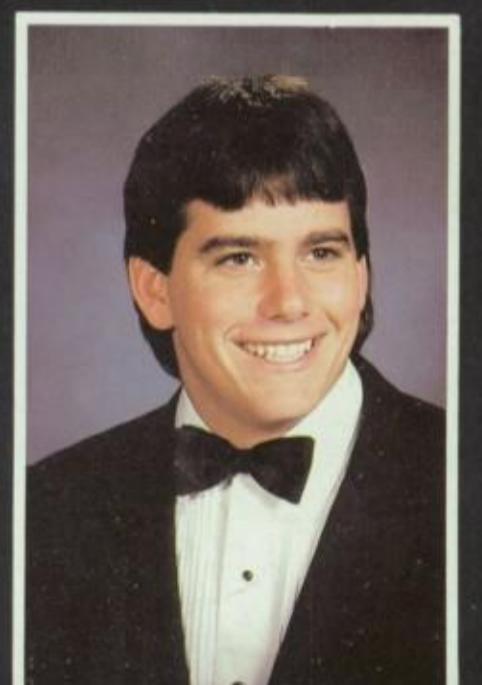
Tywaunja West

"To know her is to love her."



Terry Williams

"If the stairway to success is crowded, take the elevator."



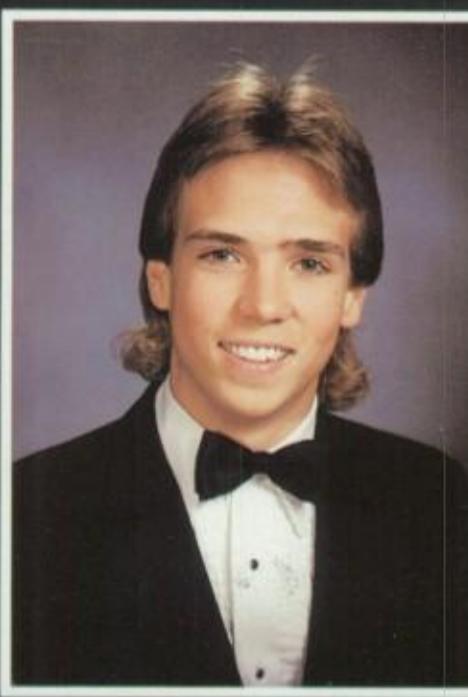
Andy Williams

"Life without mischief is no life at all!"



Tracie Williams

"The shortest route to success is the straight road."



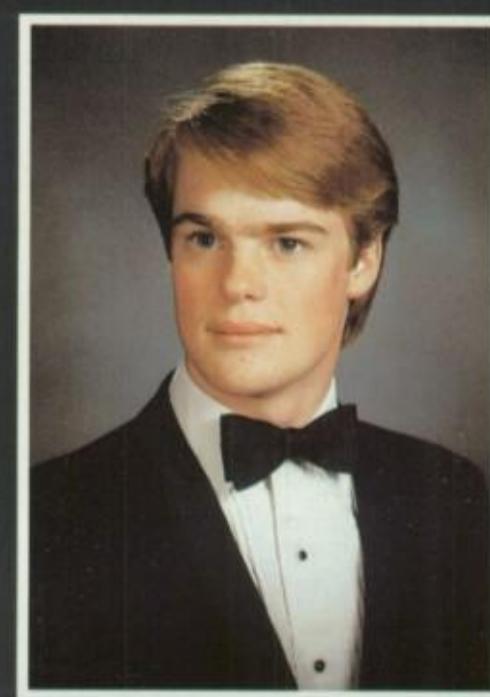
Anthony Willingham

"The world's greatest need is the assurance of tomorrow."



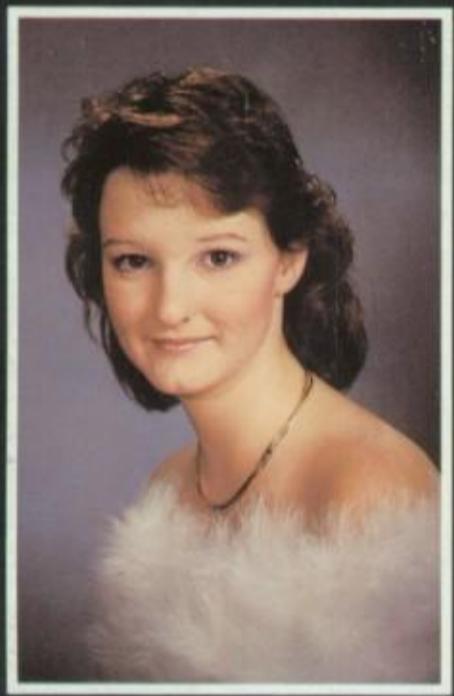
Kara Witkowski

"How high I aim, how much I see, how far I reach, depends on me."



Grant Whittle

"If everyone would look on the heart & not on the surface, what a world."



Faith Woodruff

"Some folks get lost in thought because it's such unfamiliar territory."



Wanda Worthy

"There's a little angel in her smile, but a little devil in her eyes."

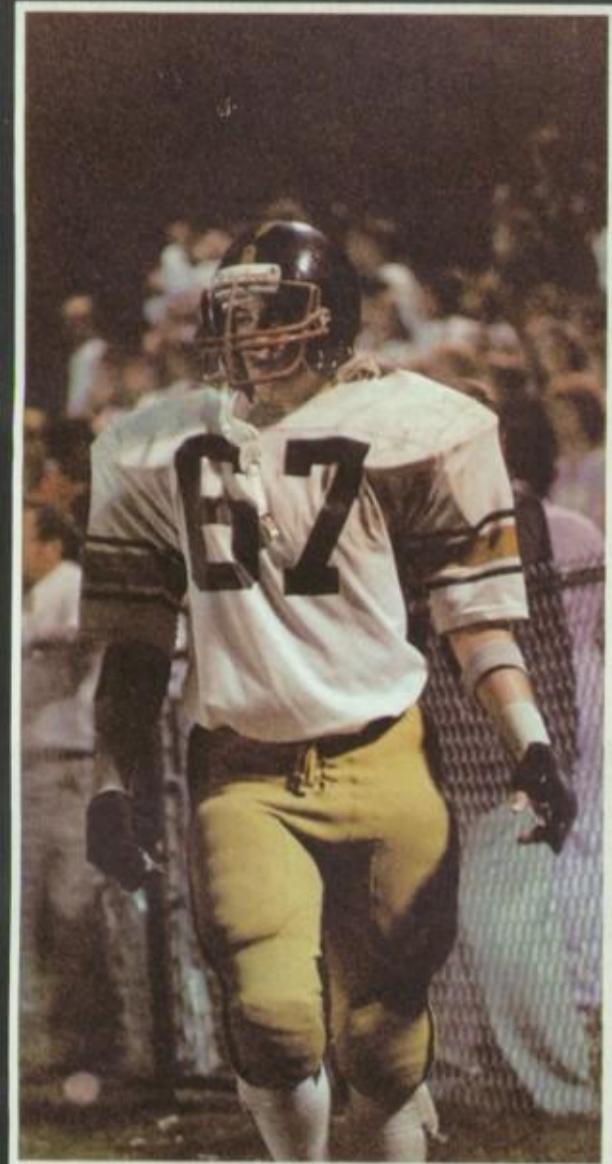


Rachel Young

"They always save the best for last."

Not Pictured:  
Patty Burris  
Laura Lyon  
Michael McCollough  
Randall Vincent  
Kandy Warcop

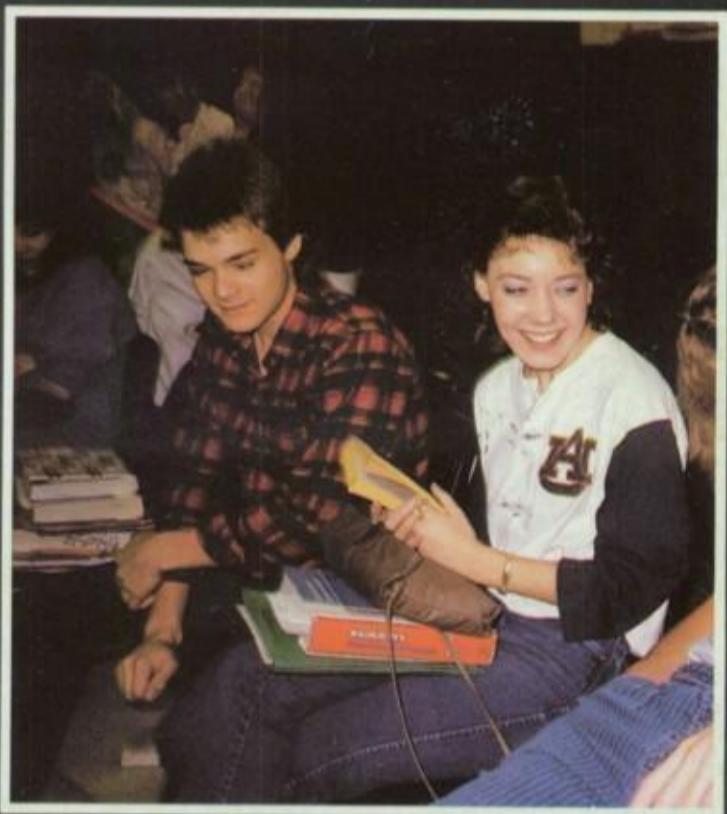
We Have Fun,  
We Have Kicks,  
We're the Class of '86!!



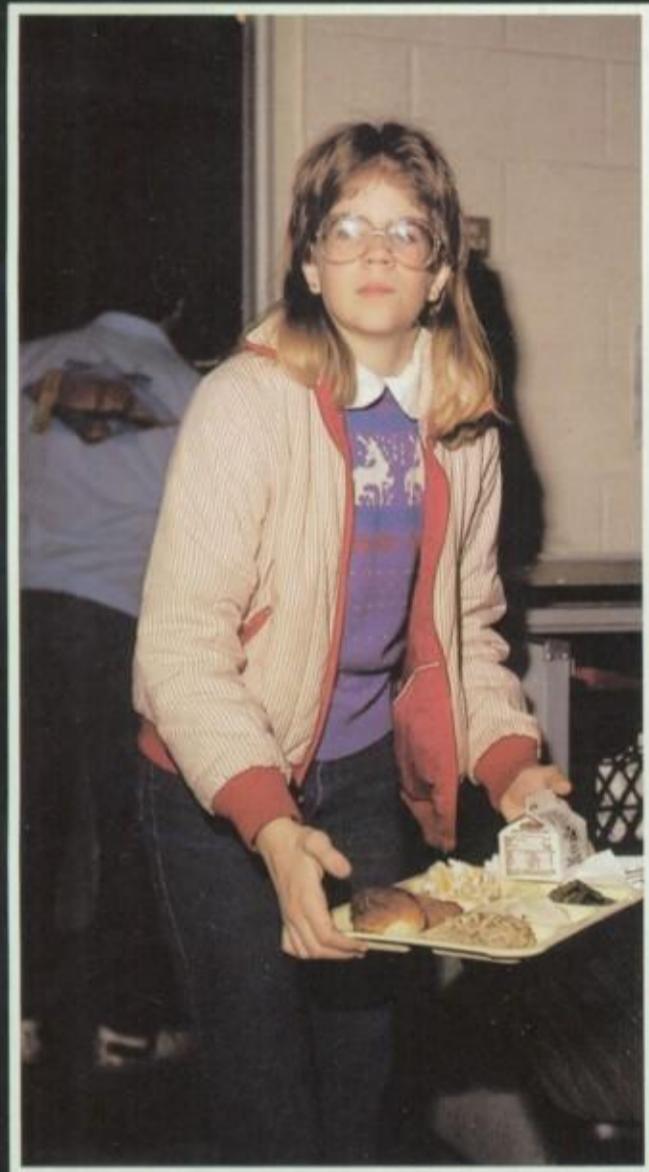
## A LAST LOOK

FOOTBALL BANQUET AWARDS WINNERS:  
Rony Kelley, Wendell Kelley, Andy Buttke, Rowan  
Bussey, Pat Craton, Steve Raughton, Keith Har-  
mon, and Tony Kelley. GUEST SPEAKERS: Gene  
Jelks and David Gilmer from the University of  
Alabama.

UPPER RIGHT HAND PICTURE



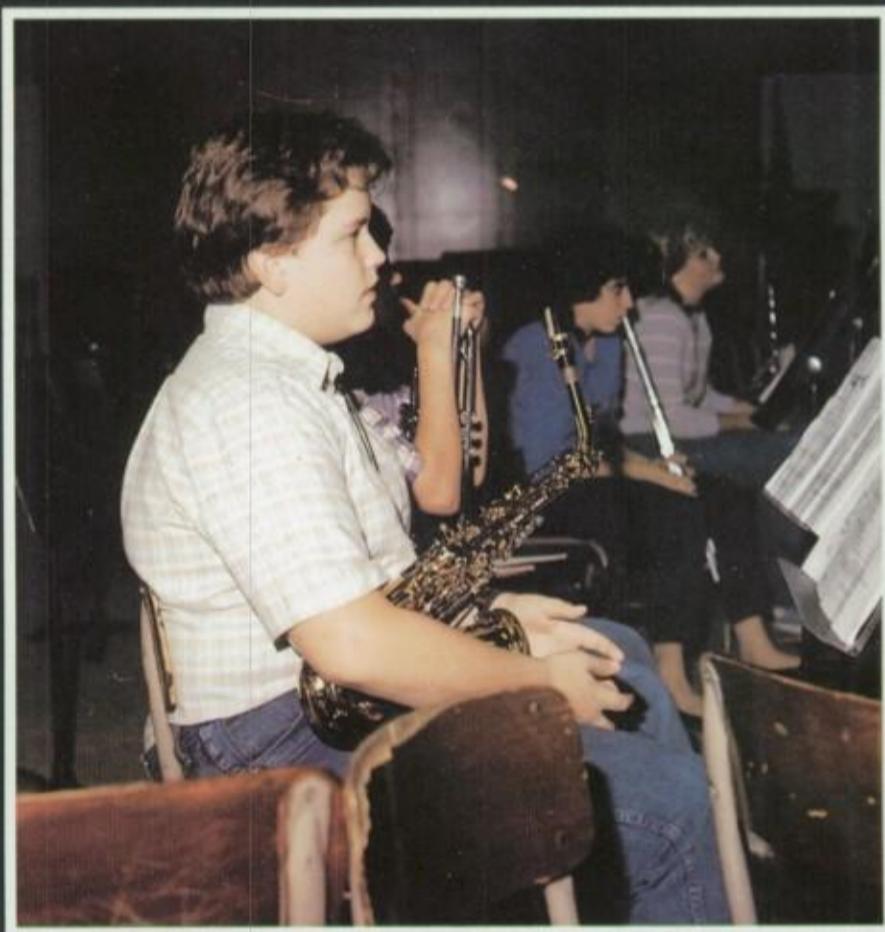
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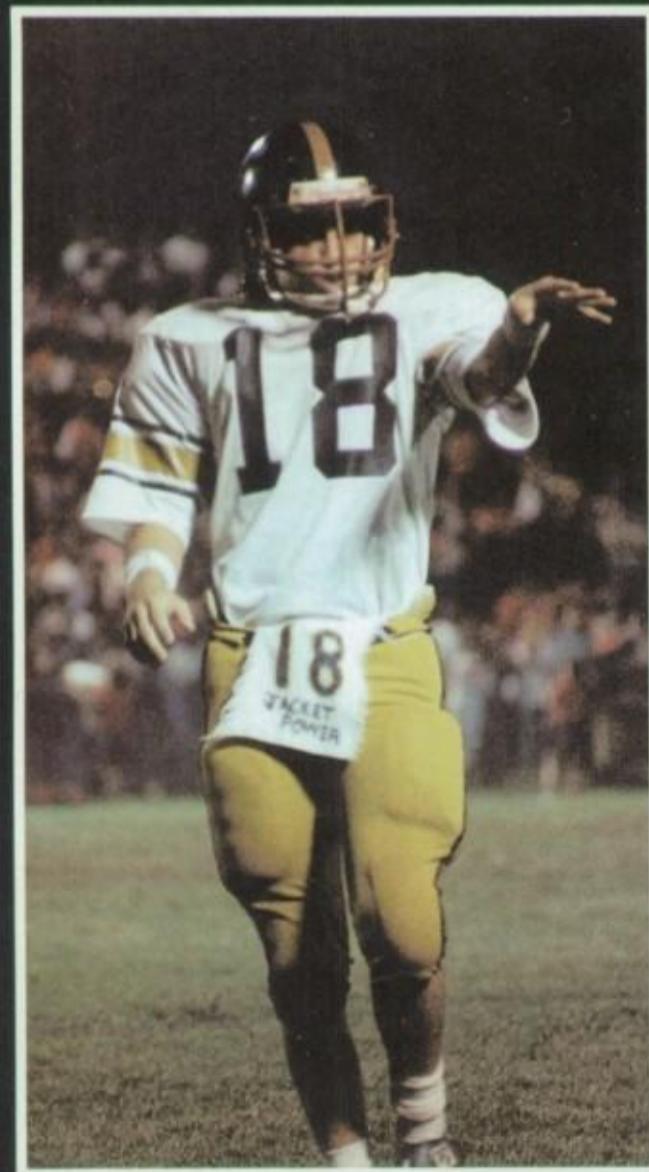
"I can't believe I'm actually eating this stuff."



"I know you want my body."



"I knew I shouldn't have taken this class."



"Hey wait a minute I've got to fix my hair!"



"I sure hope the cops don't catch us."



## Students Not Pictured

### JUNIORS

Dexter Ball  
Brian Bobo  
Candy Brown  
Joseph Cox  
Antonio Forbes  
Marsha Green  
Dyvonia Hubbard  
Reginald Jones  
Mia Lay  
Ladonna McComb  
Deonna Nichols  
Billy Partridge  
Alan Warren  
Ronnie Worthy

### SOPHOMORES

Chris Anderson  
Kim Curtis  
Jonathan Frechette  
Jody Freeman  
Jody Grizzard  
Kim Grizzard  
Amanda Hendrix  
Krista Henry  
Tony Kelley  
Steven Landers  
Ronald Mackey  
Lisa McDowell  
Dante McGruer  
Katrina Menefee  
Donald Miller  
Jonathan Mosher  
Larkin Nelson  
Derek Poe  
Chris Reaves  
David Roberts  
Stacy Robertson  
Joe Sears  
Chris Smith  
Dewayne Stanford  
Roger Storye  
Gary Truitt  
Jamie Turner  
Tracy Williams  
William Williams  
Tim Wooten

### FRESHMEN

Scotti Ackles  
Cheryl Ashworth  
Quincy Barclay  
Leslie Bentley  
David Beright  
Tanya Doggrell  
Elenor Downer  
George Dyal  
Tasha Know  
Johnnie Maddox  
Shannon McCallum  
Alan McKelroy  
Shannon Reaves  
Steven Smith  
Kelly Ford  
Thoa Nguyen

### EIGHTH GRADE

Barbara Alan  
Durante Boyd  
Tonia Brown  
Woody Calloway  
Buddy Carroll  
Andrea Carter  
Kathy Carter  
Christine Chastain  
Zena Cooper  
Tammy Digby  
Christy Flory  
Jeremy Gregory  
Michael Jennings  
Fredrick Lay  
Bobby Lyons  
Eureka McCallum  
Andrea McDowell  
Shannon Pertree  
Phillip Peterson  
Larry Pritchett  
Michael Shumate  
John Snodgrass  
Jack Stovall  
Wendy Taylor  
Mark Towns  
Michael Varner  
Thomas Ware

### SEVENTH GRADE

Latonya Barclay  
Ernest Bosarge  
Chris Bright  
Tommy Bruce  
Kim Buto  
Steven Burrdick  
Jonathan Campbell  
Richard Curtis  
Jarvis Deyampert  
Dan Gilmore  
Charles Moore  
Tabatha Moore  
Lisa Nichols  
Scott Payne  
Tanya Phillips  
Chris Reaves

# Juniors

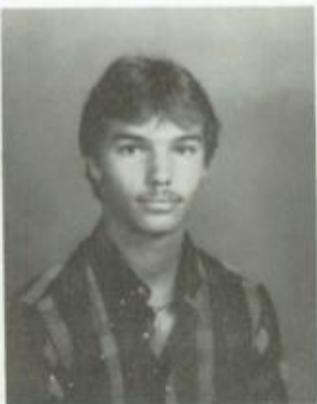


As we look back, it has a long time since we all entered school together in the first grade. It was an adventure for us, because we were afraid of what life would be like at school, the friends we would discover and the memories we would make.

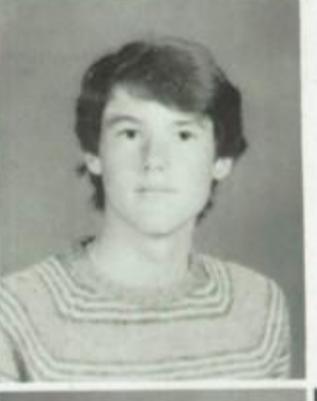
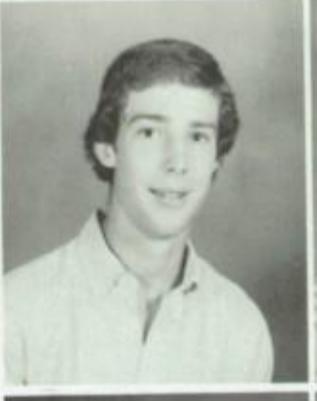
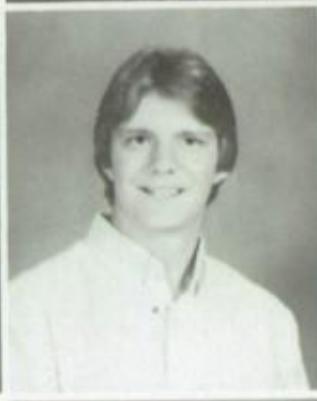
Well, we have another adventure coming up soon. Only one more year of high school until we graduate, then we go out into a totally new real world. It may seem scary to some, but I think everyone has to admit that they are glad that we are ALMOST THERE!!!

*4th Love Diana*

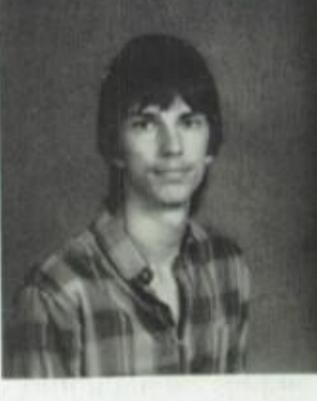
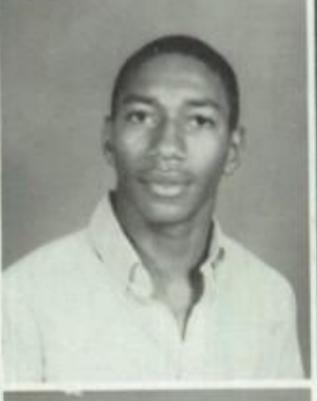
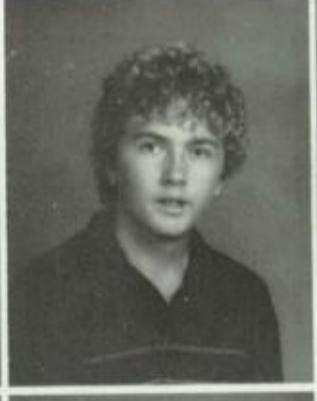
Gary Abbott  
Jeff Abbott  
Dusty Adams  
Kelli Adams  
Spence Allinder



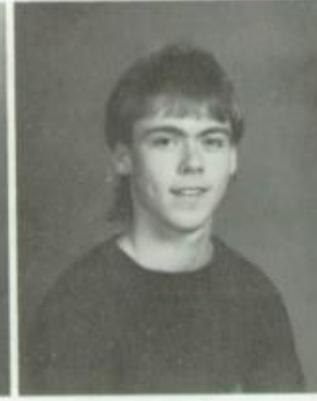
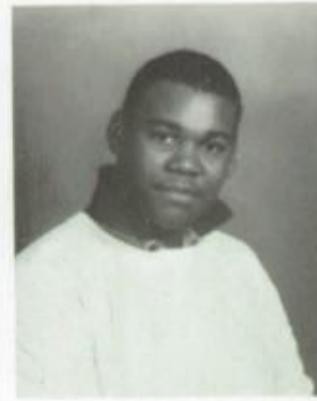
Marty Andrews  
Jeff Arensmeyer  
Shonda Ashley  
Rob Atkinson  
Chris Bailey



Yolanda Bailey  
Michelle Baker  
Kirk Baker  
Maurice Ball  
Ronnie Ball

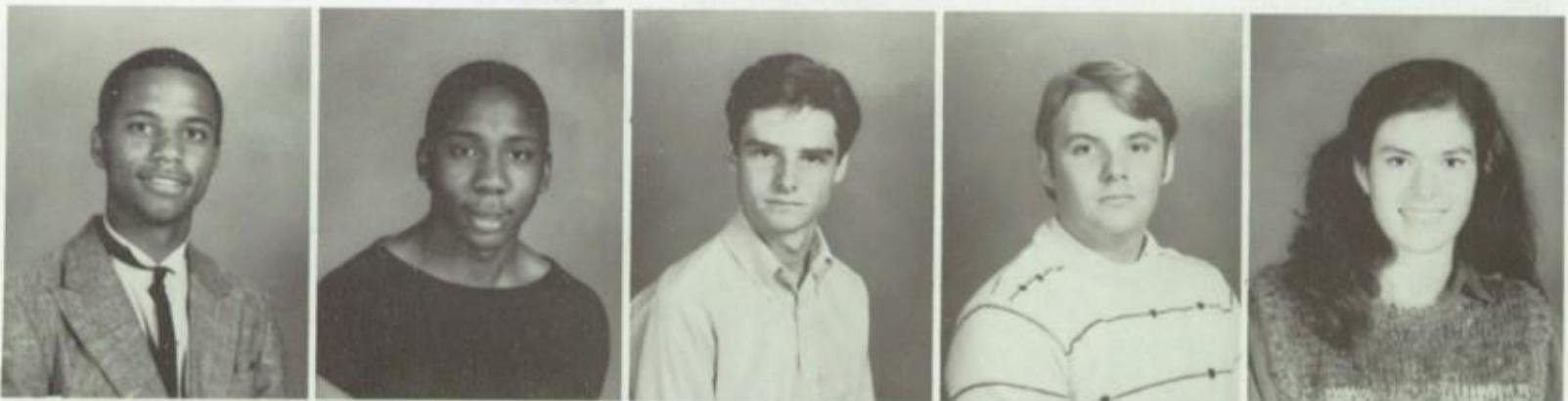


Andre Baxter  
Brandon Bedford  
Laurie Bell  
Lisa Bennett  
Lisa Bentley

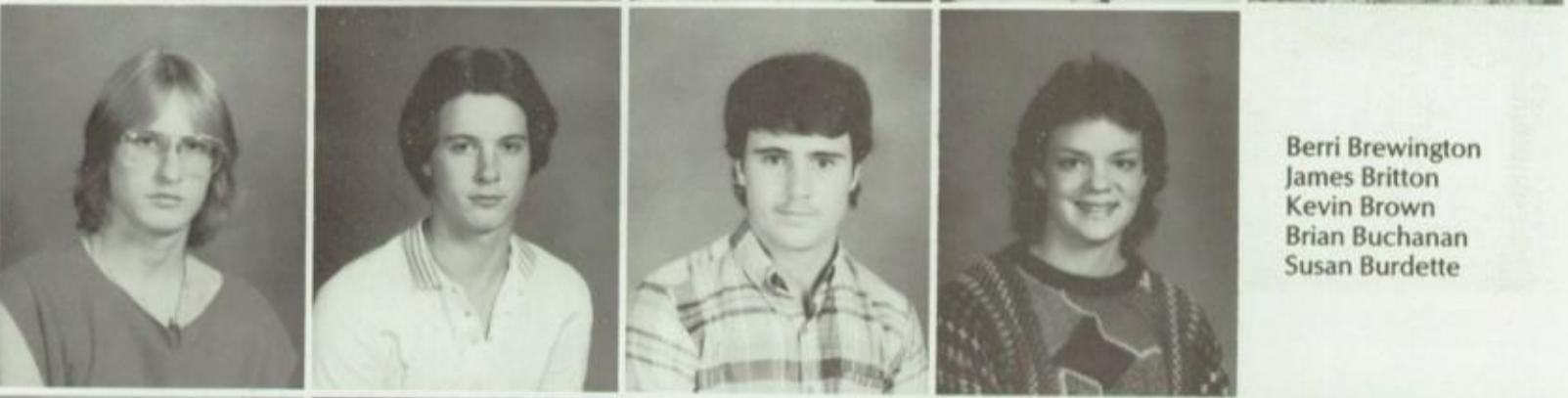


# All-Most-There

Fredrick Boyd  
Willie Bradford  
Donald Bradt  
Mark Brady  
Jenny Brewer



Berri Brewington  
James Britton  
Kevin Brown  
Brian Buchanan  
Susan Burdette



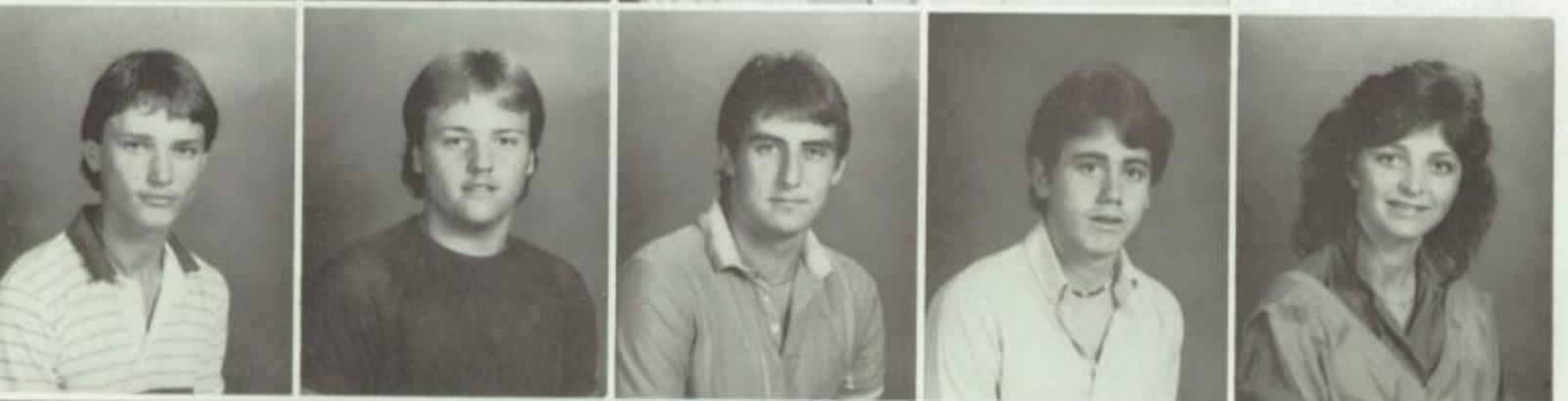
Liane Burgess  
Dennis Burrage  
Pam Burris  
Kelley Burrough  
Angela Bussey



Kim Butler  
Michael Butterworth  
Lisa Butts  
Michelle Carr  
Patricia Carroll



Terry Carroll  
Todd Carroll  
Todd Carter  
Gene Carter  
Lynn Champion



Robby Chandler  
Valeri Clay  
Cindy Clayton  
Charles Cofield  
Tammy Conley

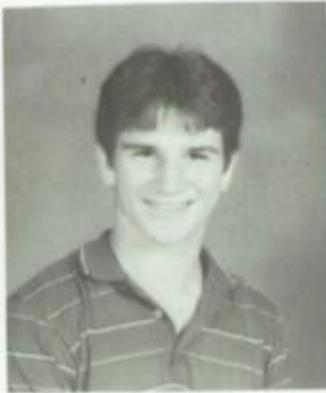


1st Love  
Yolanda



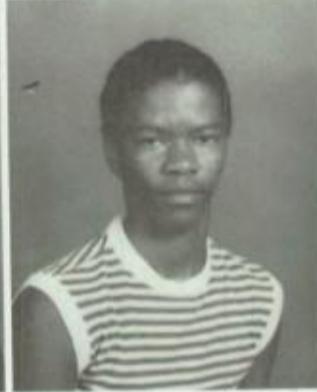
That's  
↓ my Baby! Love Gina

Carolyn Coshatt  
Laura Crabtree  
Pat Craton  
Sonya Cunningham  
Judy Cupo

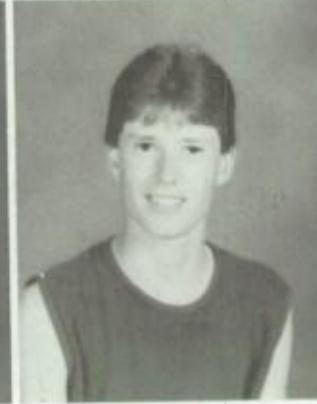


Ted Darby  
Shane Davis  
Melinda Deason  
Anne Degner  
Dennis Denham

Amy Denson  
Clarence Denson  
Tanya Deramus  
Melisa Dickerson  
Mike Dishman



Gina Dixon  
Traci Embry  
Steve Faughn  
Chris Findley  
Sherry Fish

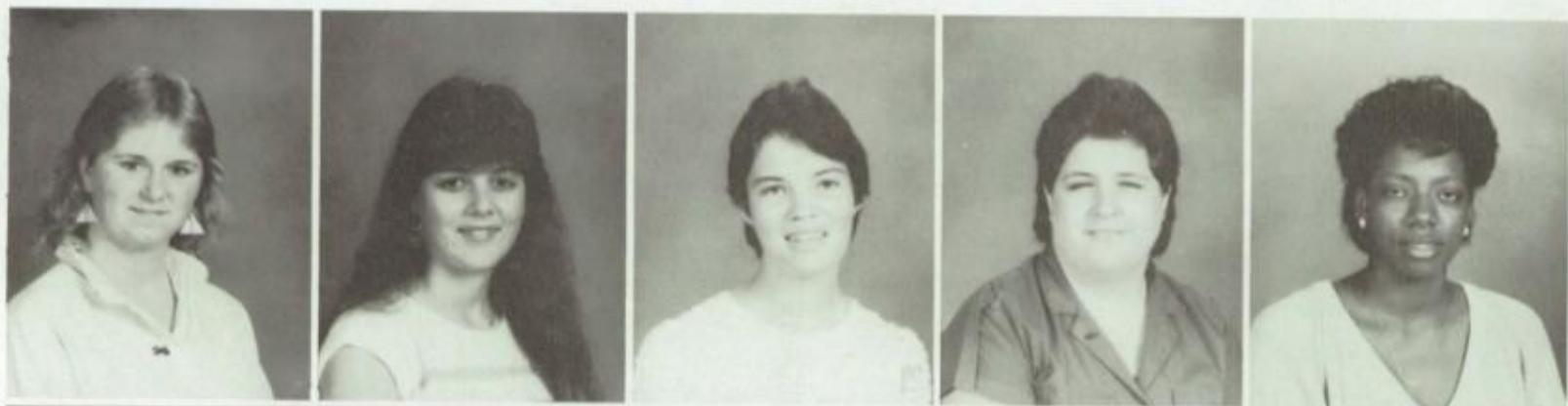


Jina

1980  
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Cynthia Ford  
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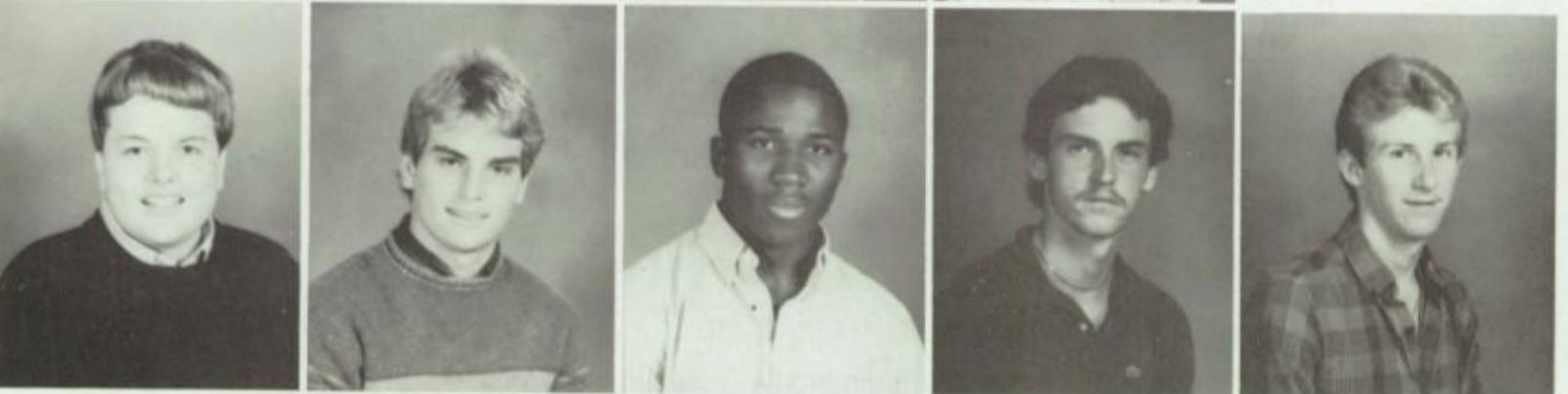
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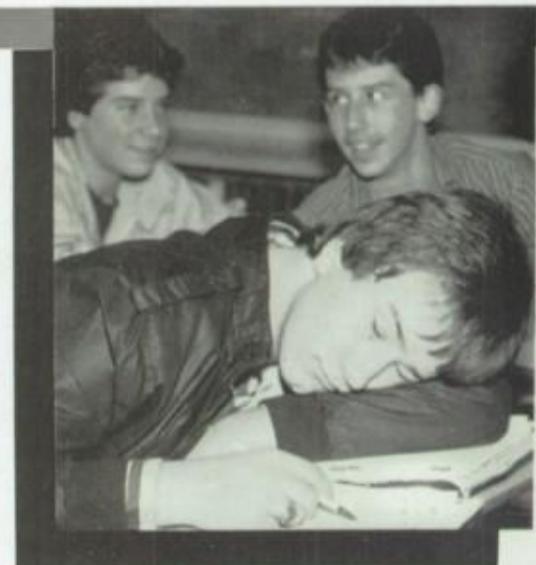
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*Don't we look sweet! Love, Glenda*



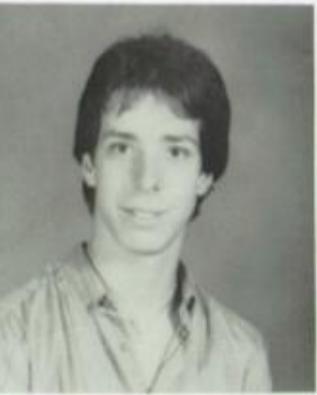
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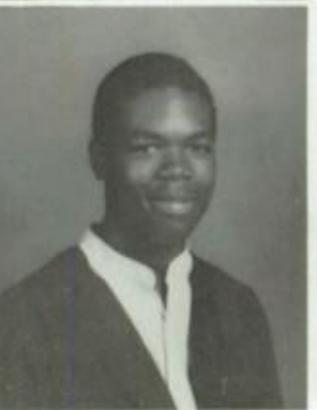
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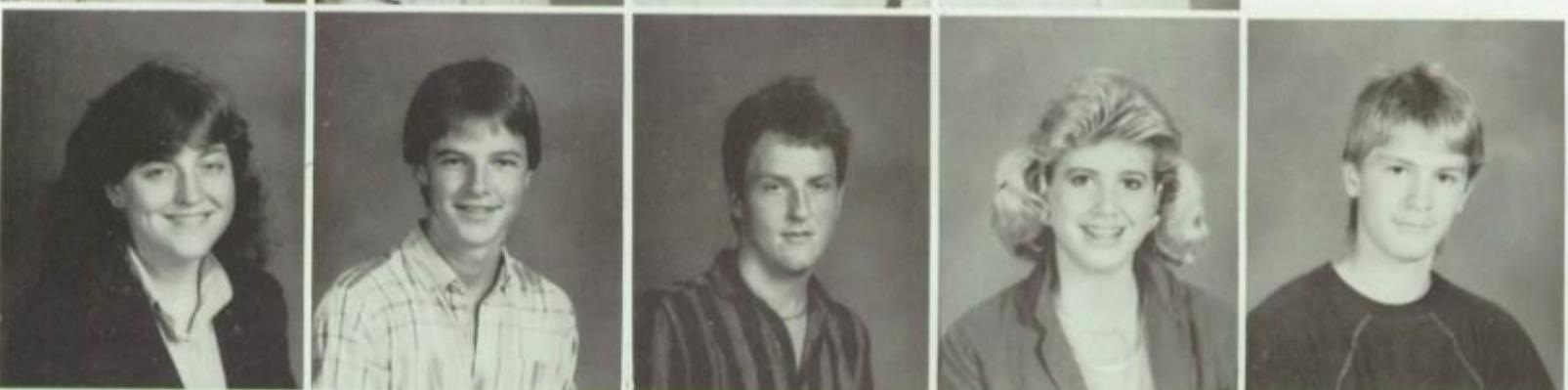
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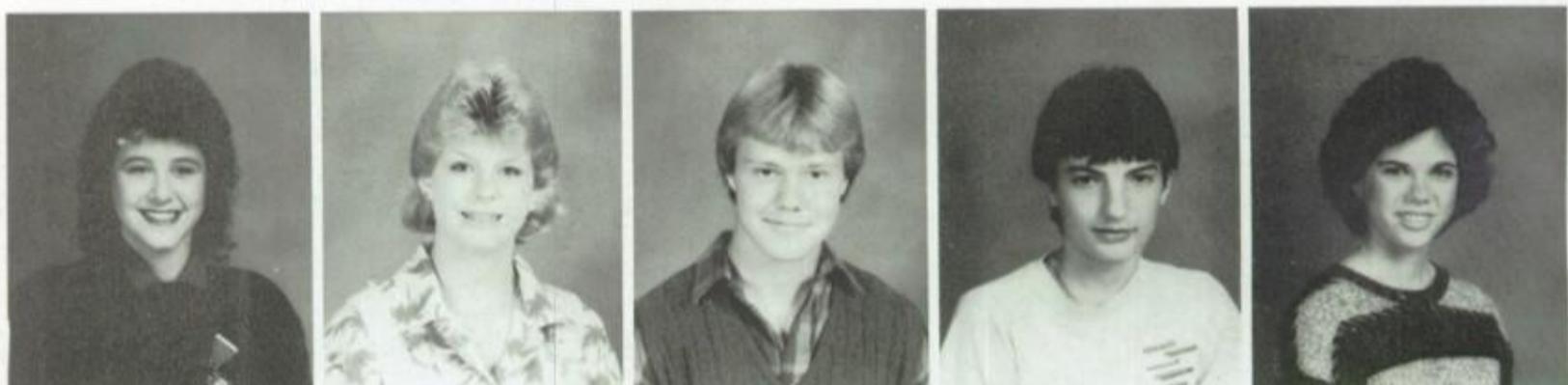
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# juniors

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Vickie Reddick



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Jacques Rhoden  
Lisa Ridley  
Staci Rinehart

Ben Robertson  
Ricky Robinson  
Gina Screws  
Patricia Seehafer  
Richard Shears



Pat Shepard  
Mellisa Shepard  
Diane Sims  
LeAnne Smallwood  
Anita Smith

Chris Smith  
Paula Smith  
Tonya Smith  
Angelle Sonnier  
Scott Sparks



Bubba Spence  
Jerry Stallings  
Norman Stephan  
Sonja Stephens  
Cindy Stewart



Nancy Stewart  
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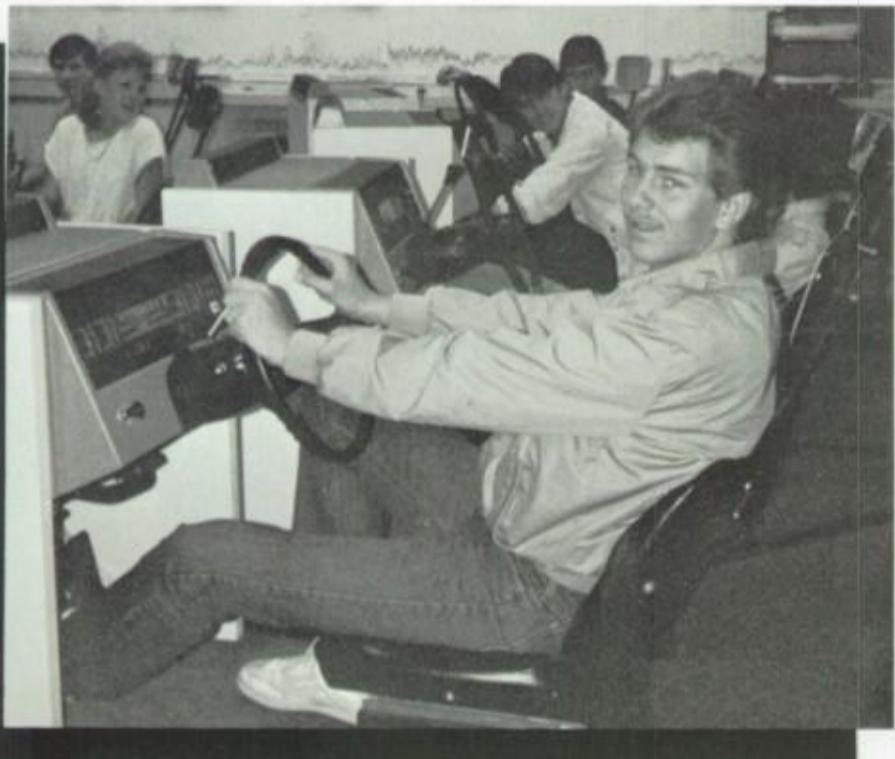
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# Sophomore



The Sophomore year is one of great excitement. It is the year students take Driver's Education. All "all most 16" year old students look forward to getting behind the wheel for the first time and this is the year it happens. John Mosher is shown here getting ready to practice his driving skill on the simulator in class.

Chris Abernathy



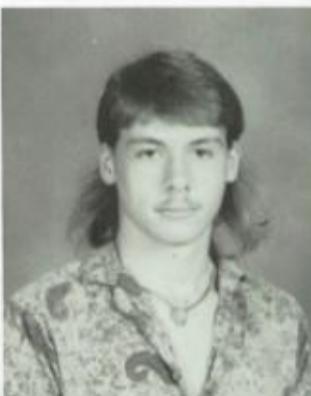
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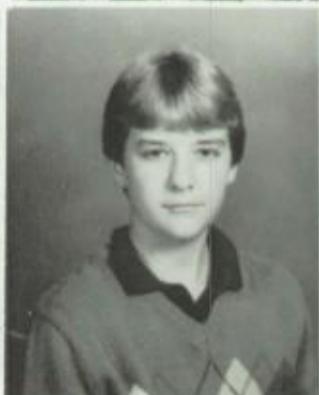
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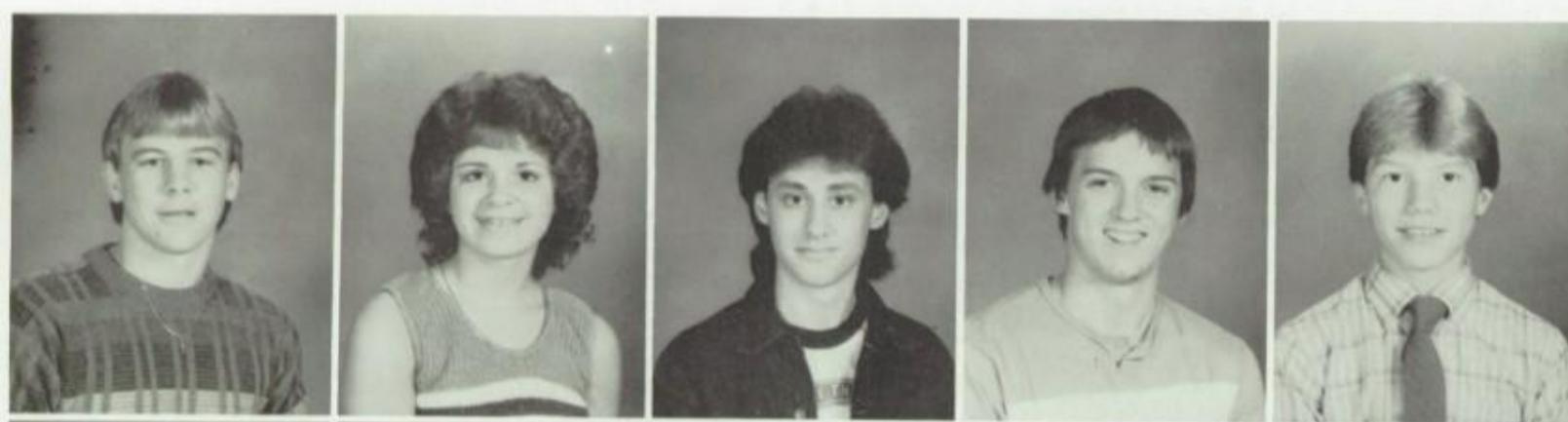


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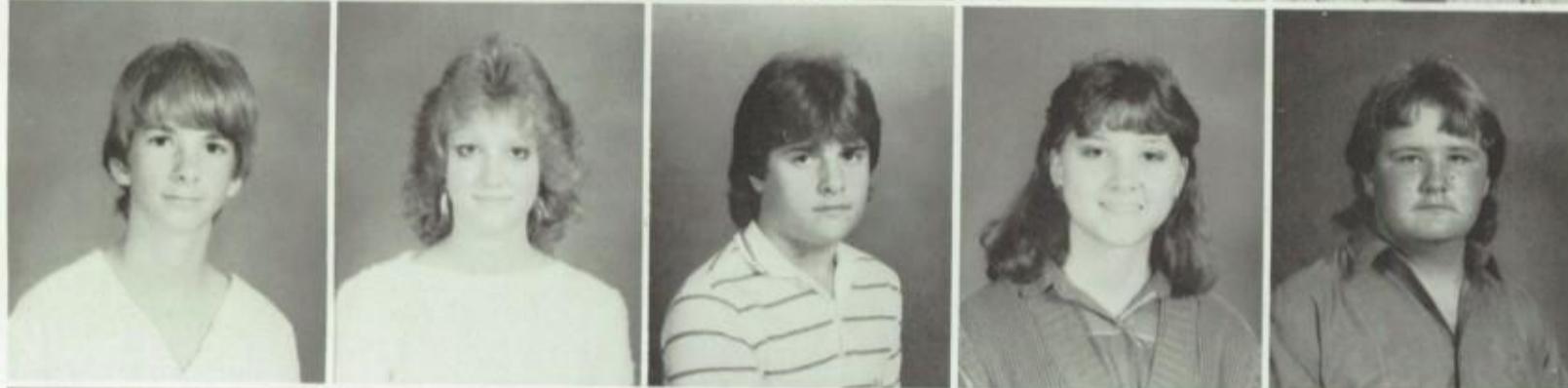


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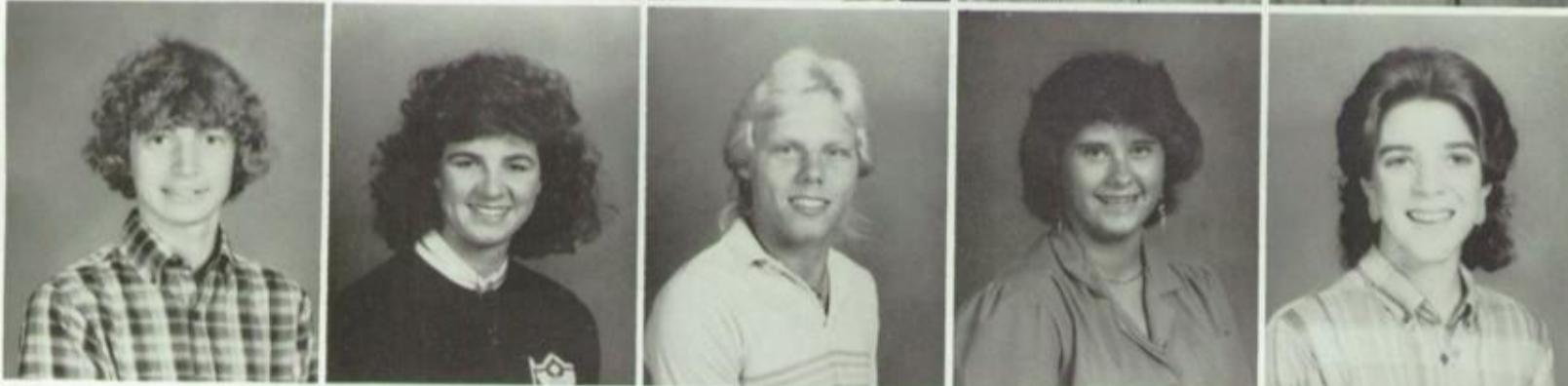




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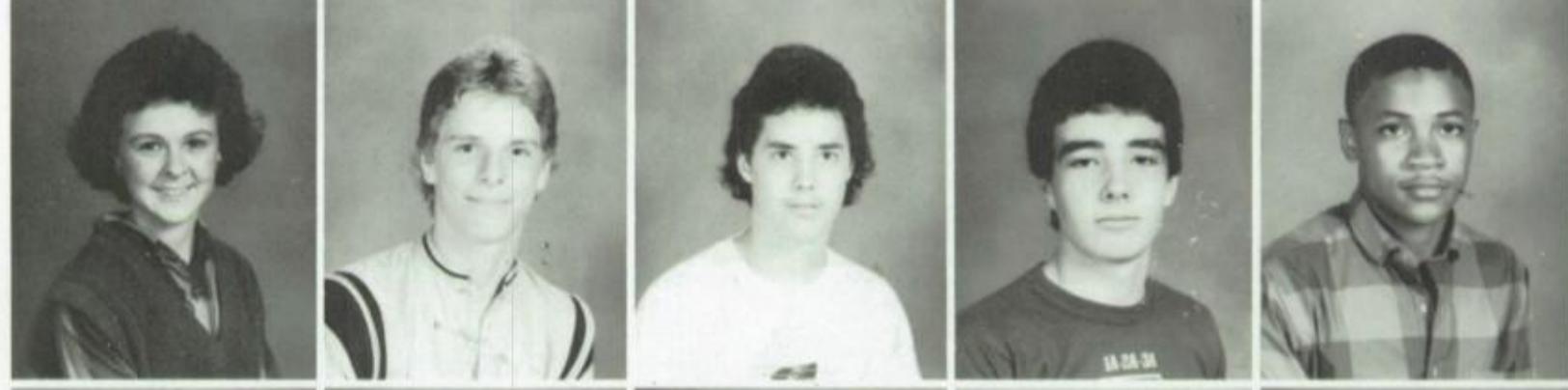
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Kim Foy  
Dwayne Gaines  
Greg Gaines  
Shannon Garvey  
Gerald Gilbert



Rivest Gilbert  
Danny Gilmore  
Karin Gordon  
Jerich Green  
Angela Griffin





Jennie Griffith  
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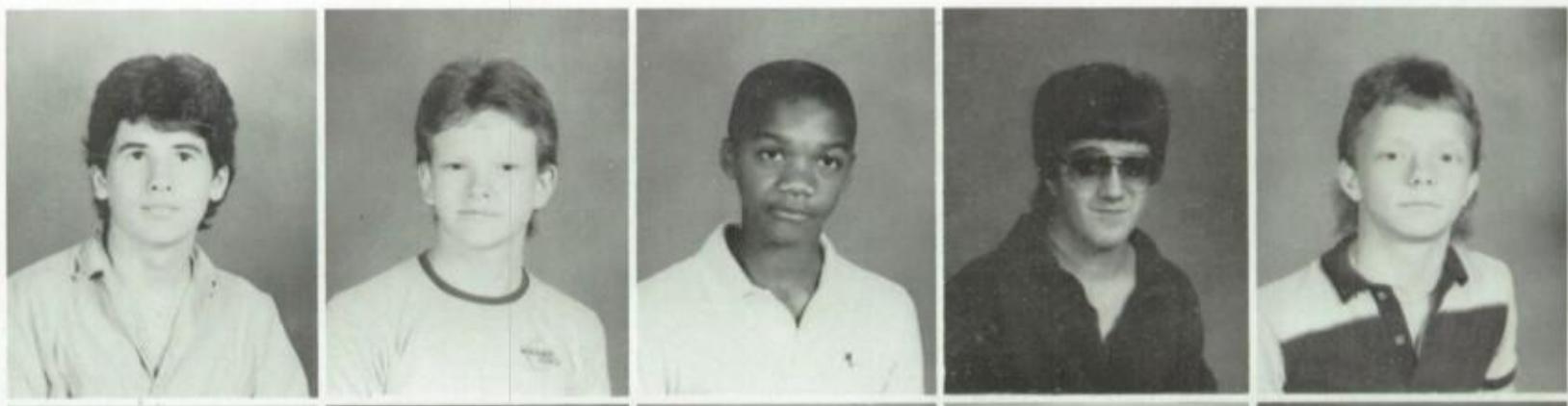
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Paula Kubasiak

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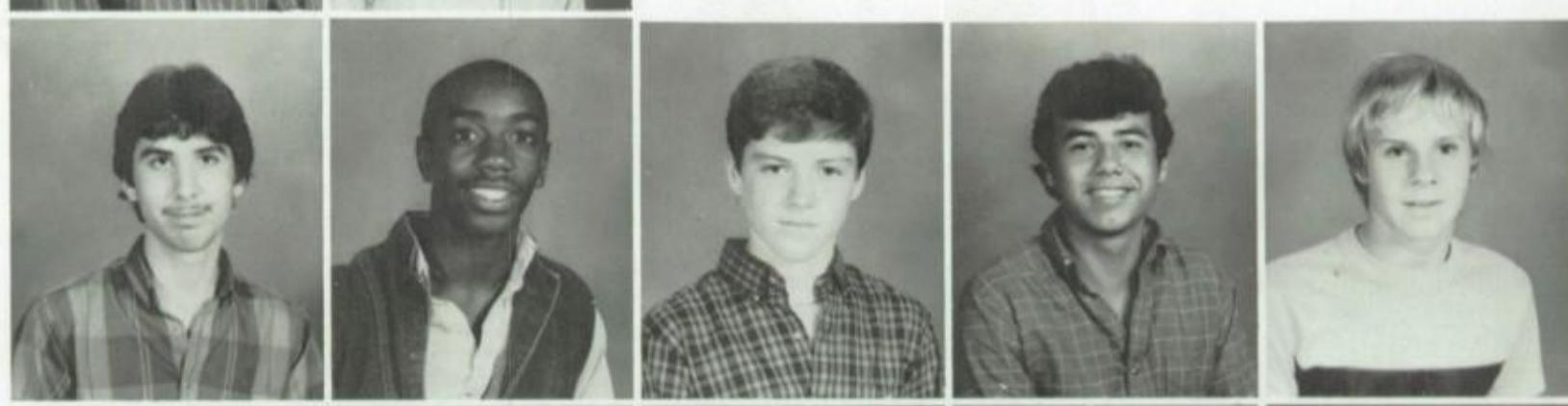
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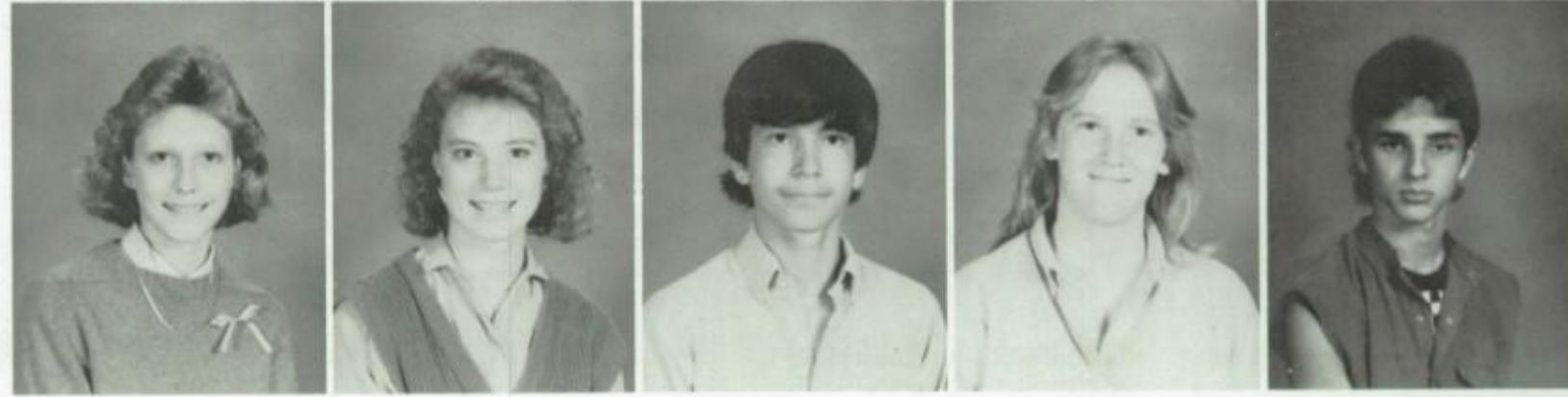
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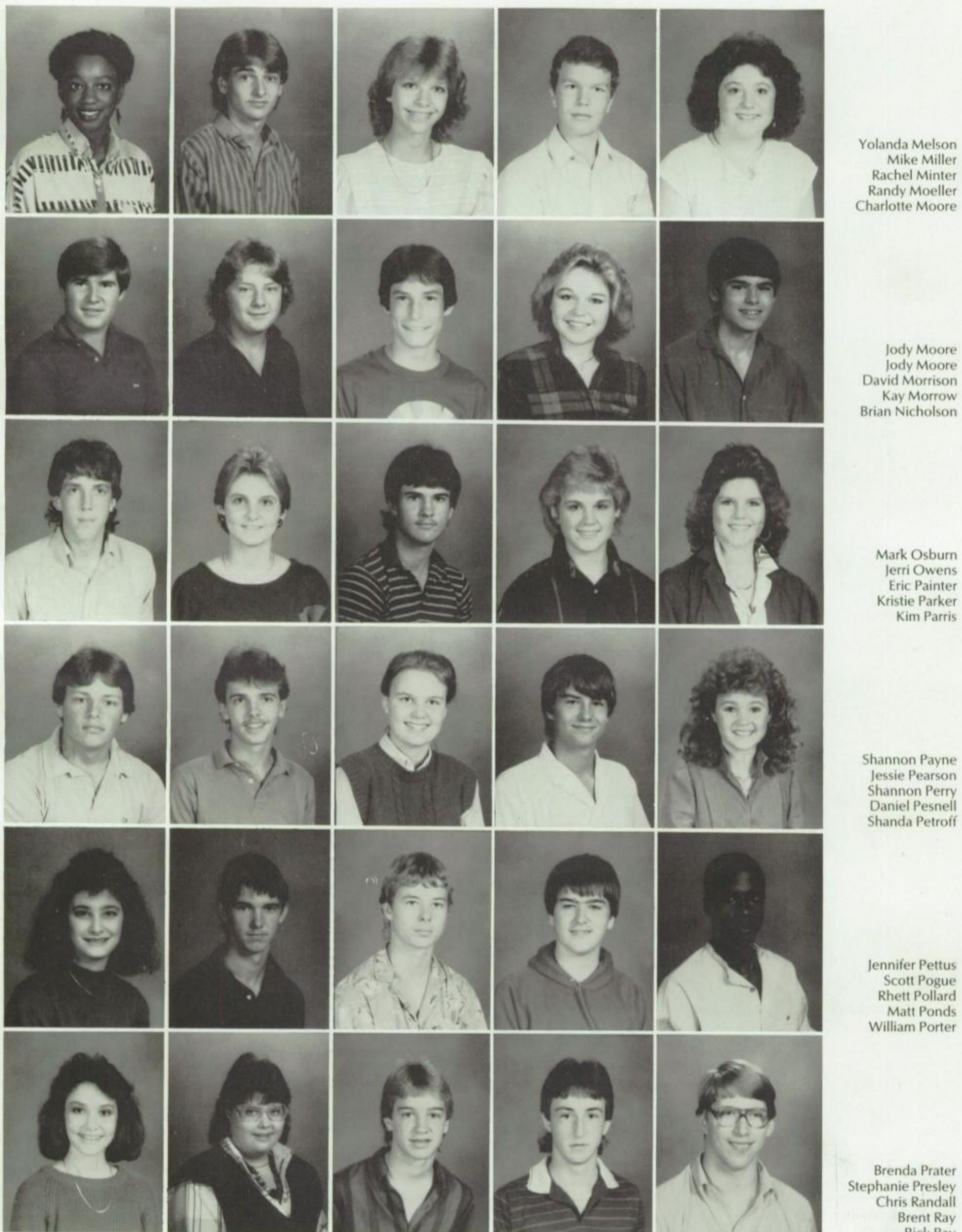


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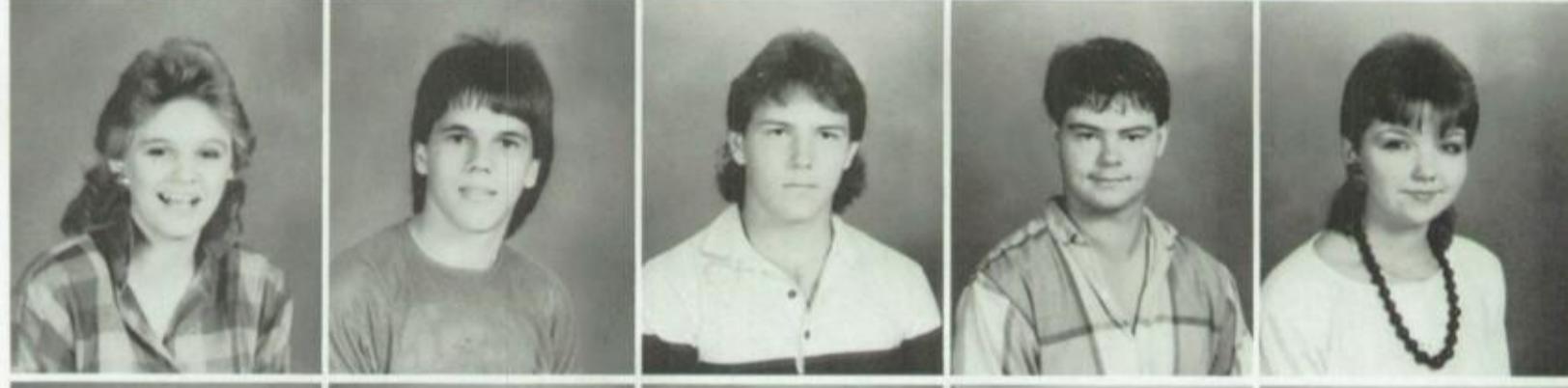
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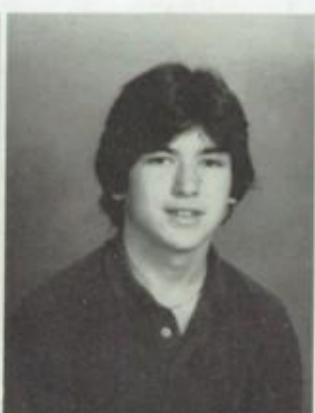


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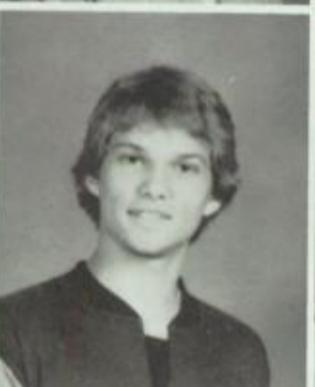




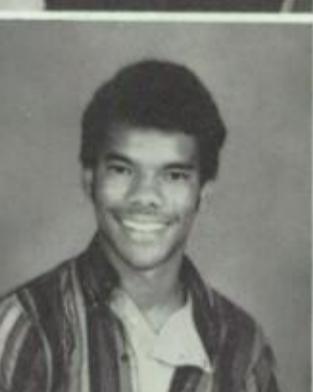
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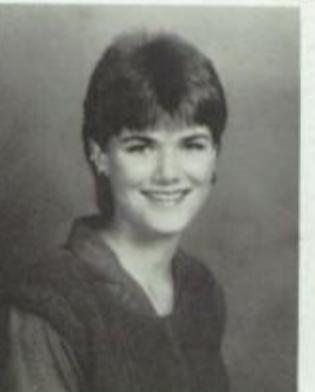
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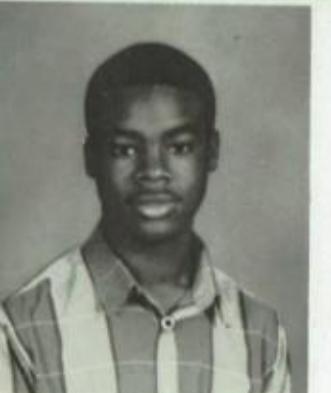
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Patrick Young



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# Freshmen

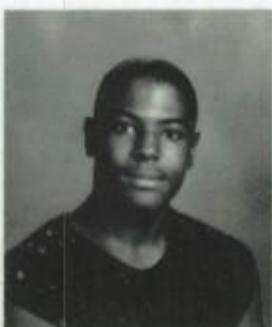
## Catching Some Z's

Some people have mastered the art of sleeping in class with their eyes open. Others had to be satisfied with the old method of laying their head down and risk getting caught.

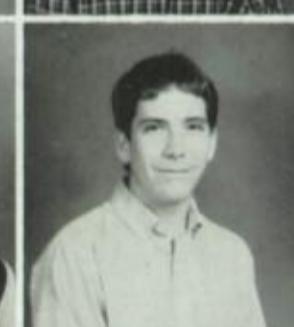
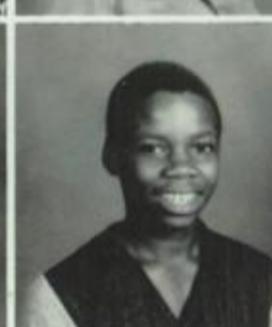
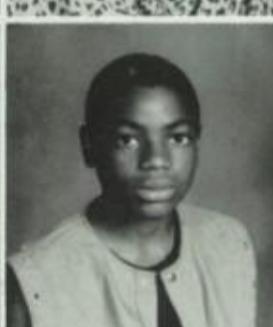
The main reason students sleep in class is to relieve boredom. Another reason is because they got in bed late the night before.

Some students are willing to take the risk of sleeping in class. It is a tricky job to pull off but if done right, can be quite satisfying.

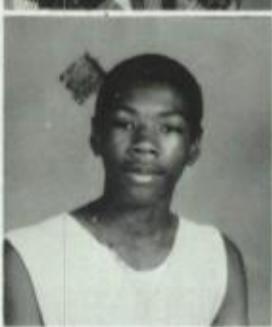
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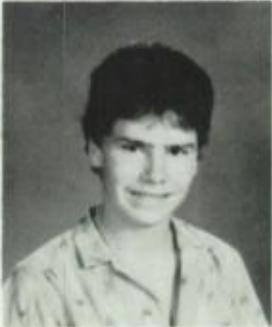
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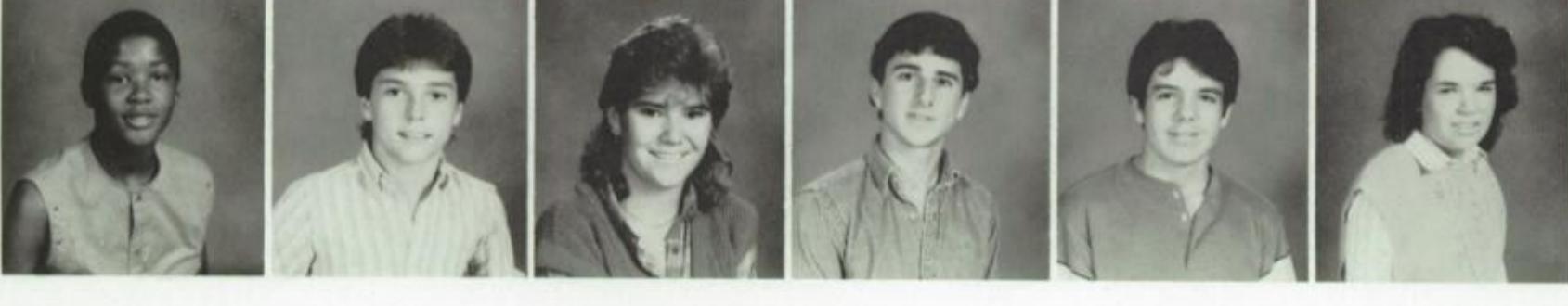
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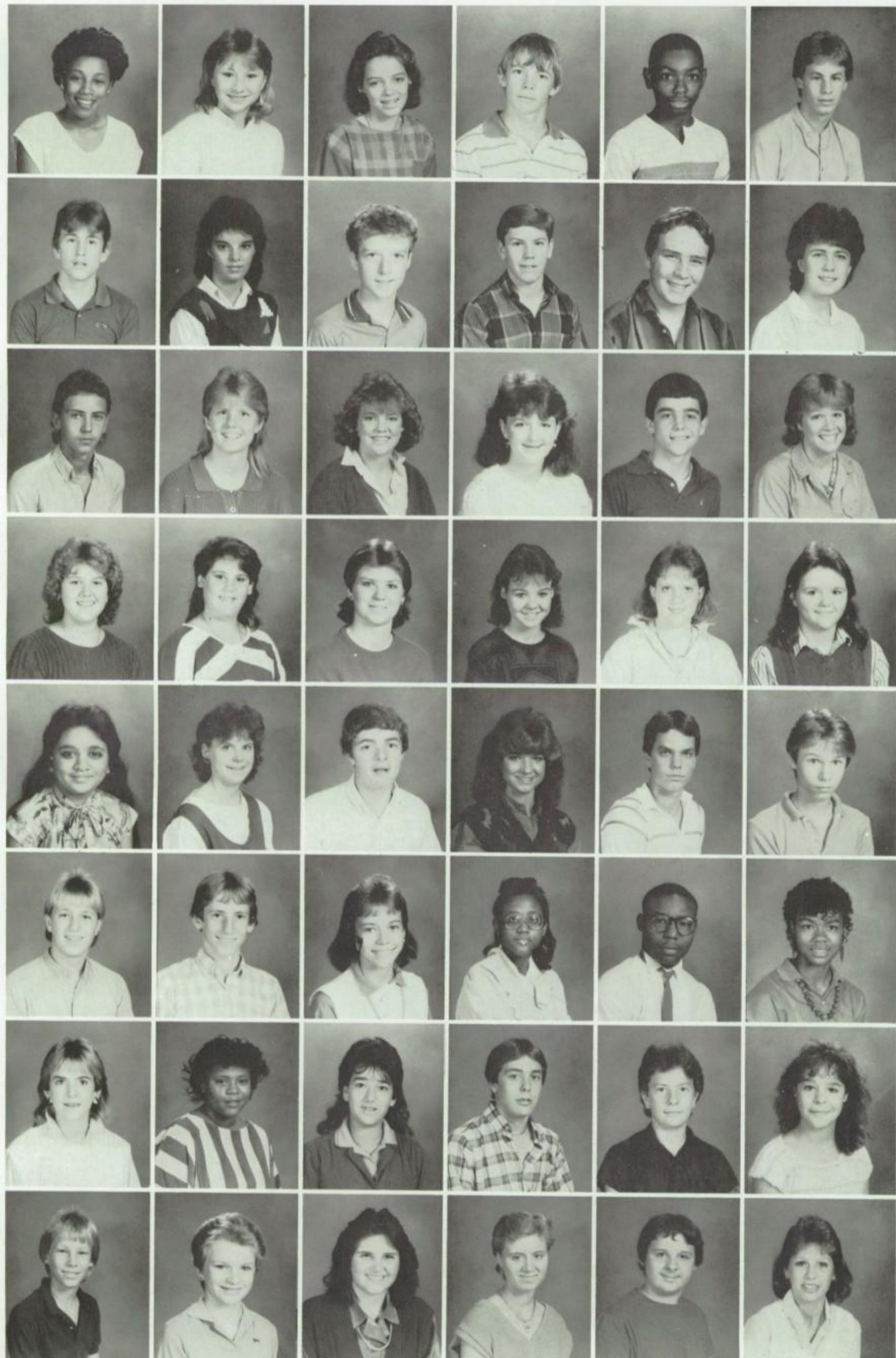


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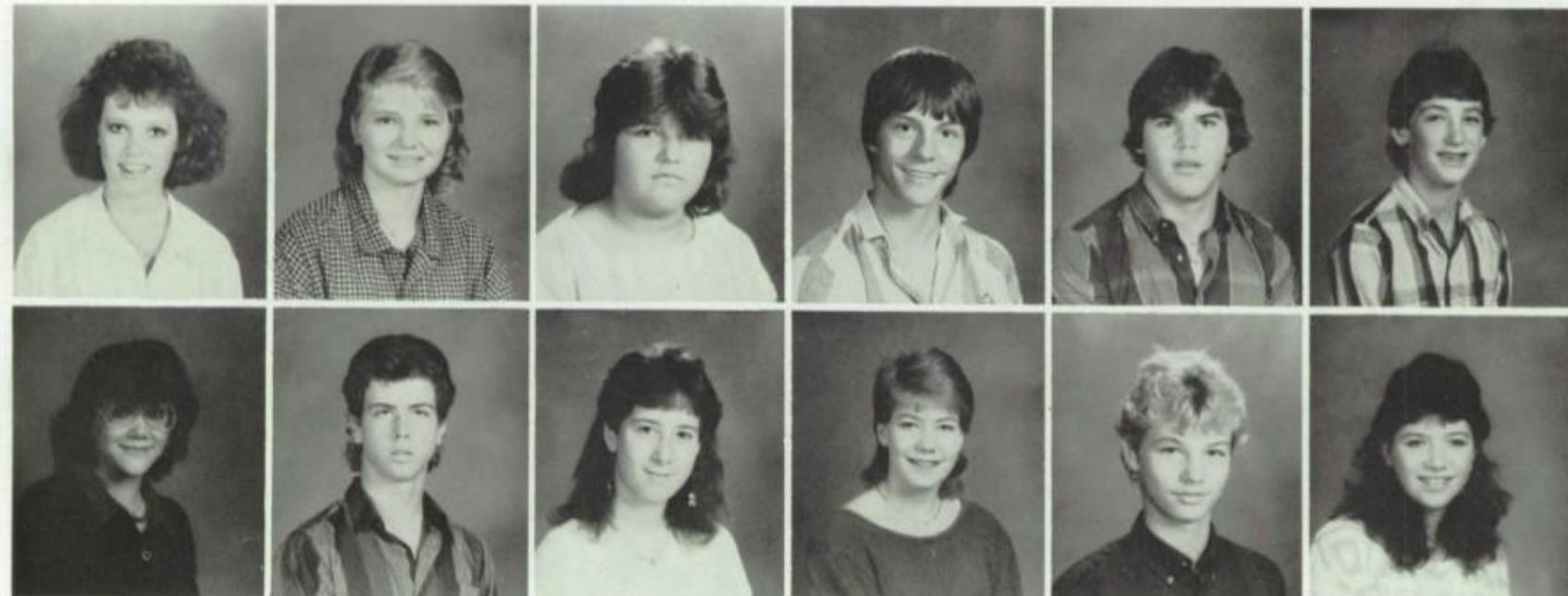


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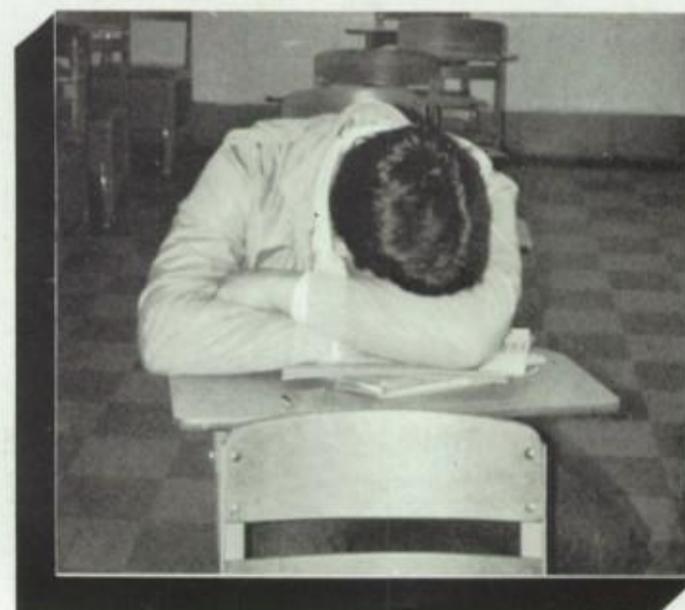
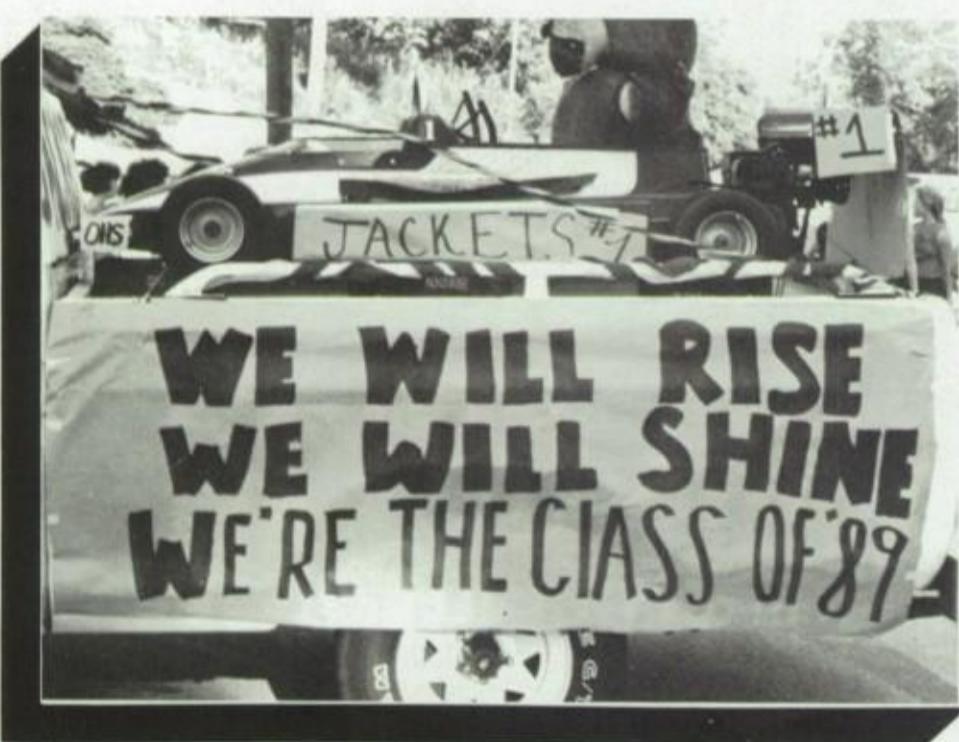
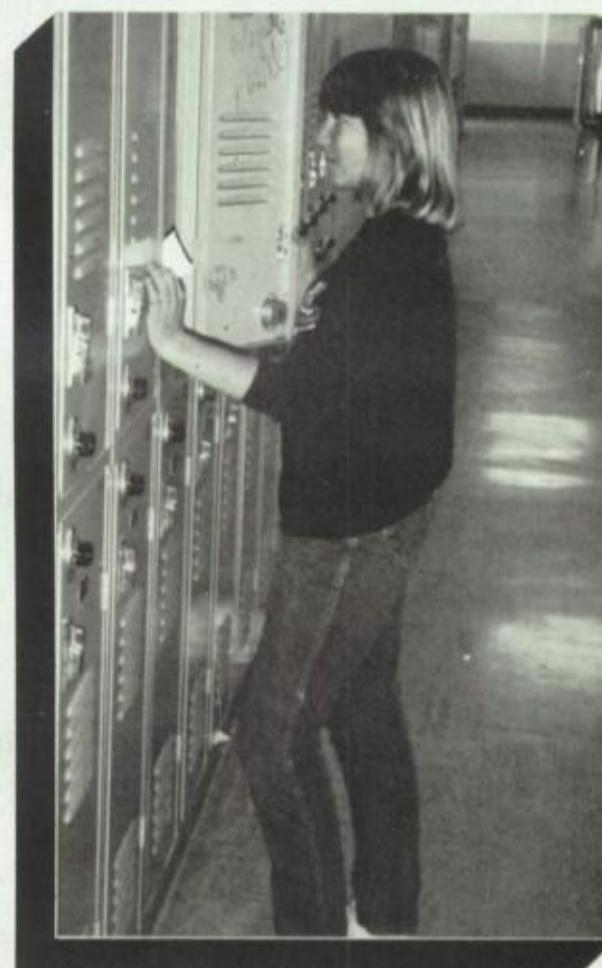
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## Freshman Class Officers



Kevin Reid — Treasurer, Emily Bowman — Secretary, Todd Garner —  
President, David Fowler — Vice-President



## 1985-86 In Perspective

The world held its breath during a dizzying procession of terrorist nightmares. The hijacking of TWA Flight 847 is just one example.

Other disasters were both natural and manmade. Long simmering South Africa erupted in apartheid violence, while a volcano and famine killed thousands more. Yet there were reasons for hope — and unprecedented gush of charity fund raising, the long-awaited renovation of Lady Liberty, and a summit meeting that held, if not answers, promises.

On January 28, 1986 the nation applauded the Challenger's crew, including teacher Christa McAuliffe, in a seemingly perfect launch. Moments later, a nation stood in grief.

It definitely was a year to remember. The First day of school saw many changes, such as the new paint job. The mighty Yellow Jackets started their football season with a good start, but a couple of them took the term "break a leg" a little too seriously. Along with football season came Homecoming. Each class worked on the float, and each homeroom decorated a door. That night, Cindy Stewart was crowned Homecoming Queen and Teresa Bailey was crowned Jr. High Homecoming Queen.

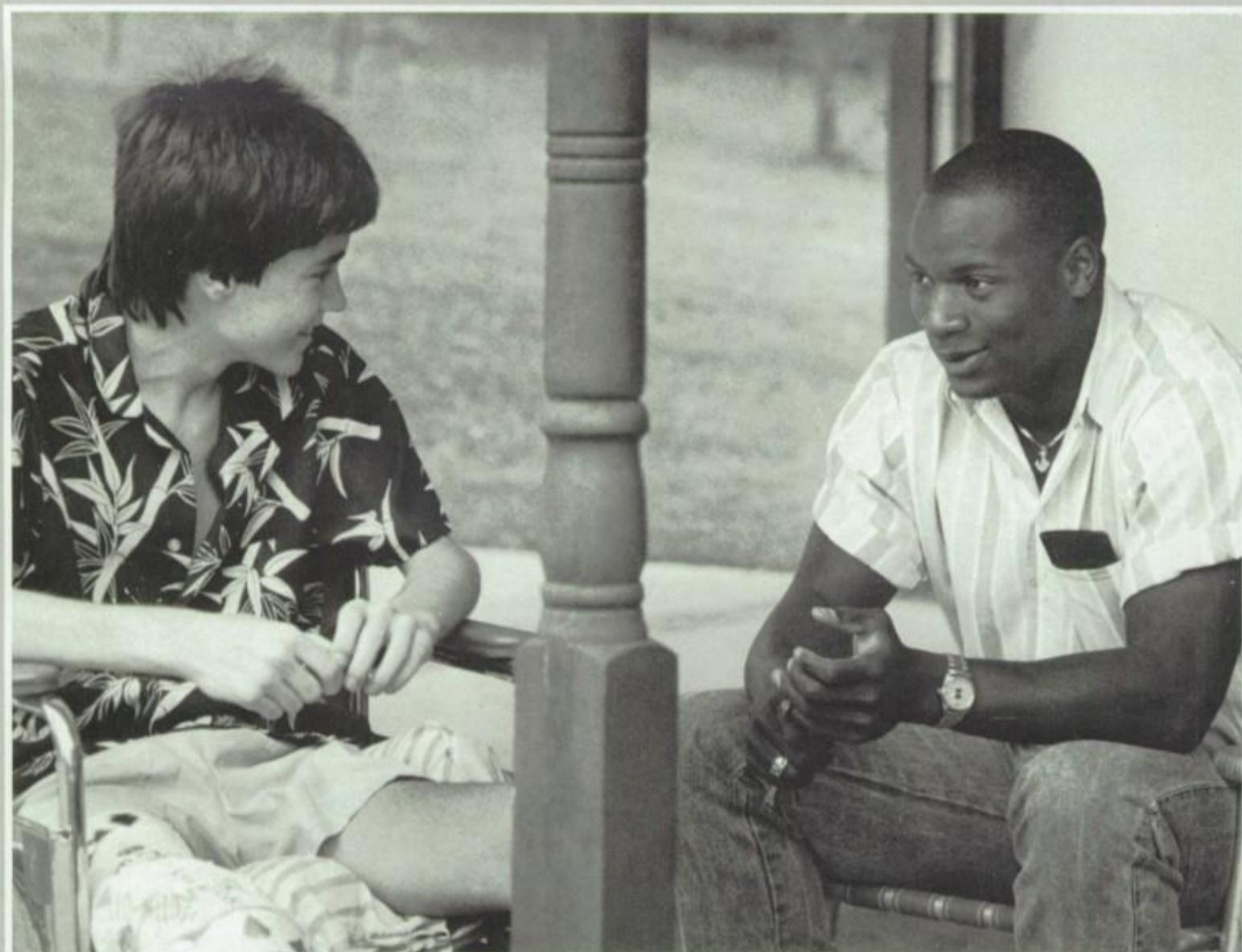
The year rolled on with such events as Vocational Education Week, District and State competitions, and Youth Government day. The year was finally concluded with the graduation of the class of 1986. It was our year, molded by the vast and diverse character of who we were, and had become.

**It was our year  
molded by the vast and diverse  
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**Opposite Top:** *Mystique*, starring Greg Burgess, **Steven Waits**, Rick Burgess, Jamie Clark, and Chuck Mason, rocked us all year long. **Opposite Below:** Shanna Spivey and Christy Clark share a special moment with a new friend at the special Olympics. **Top:** The 14th Annual Concourse of Champions gave **Tracy Jackson** a chance to show off his skills during a performance of "Mac Arthur Park." **Below:** Bo Jackson, Auburns star athlete paid a surprise visit to **John Greenwood**.



# Eighth Grade



No longer are we dumb seventh graders! At last there are some people at L.H.S. who are younger than we are. After being here for a year, we really know our way around campus and know that we really can make it from the annex to the main building in the five minutes allowed. We remember how we panicked last year if our lockers didn't open the first time. We look forward to being Freshmen and getting to eat a la carte in the lunchroom.

WE ARE STRONG  
WE ARE MIGHTY  
WE'RE THE CLASS OF  
1990!

Michael Adams  
Chad Allinder

Harold Angle  
Keli Argo



Iain Abernathy  
Jeannie Abernathy

Jason Arnold  
Laura Atkinson  
Michael Balentine  
Jason Barnett  
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Brett Benefield



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Brett Brewington  
Rudy Brott



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Sally Burtram



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Euphemia Evans



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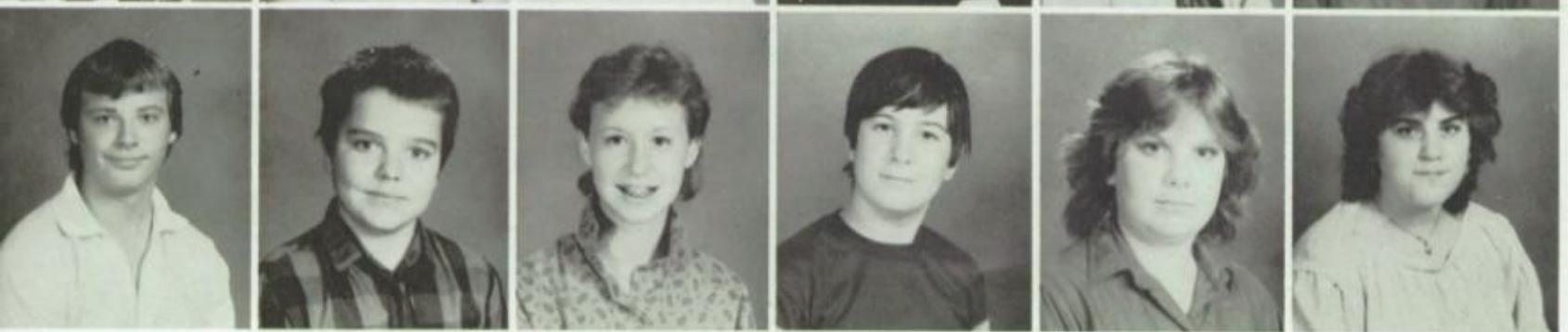
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# Seventh Grade —

## Taken By Surprise

"Don't ask me, I'm new here.", is a common phrase heard from seventh grade students.

The seventh grade year was a time for being picked on, growing up, and accepting responsibilities. After the shock of a new school, new faces, and unfamiliar classes wore off, the seventh grade class realized that they had to get it together, the class of '91 got involved in school life.

As they finally became accustomed to the pep rallies, their enthusiasm was shown through the winning of the spirit bell. As their saying goes, "Lots of laughs, Lots of fun, We're the class of 91."

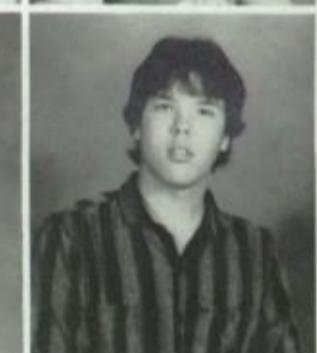
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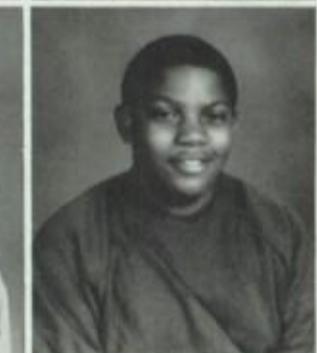
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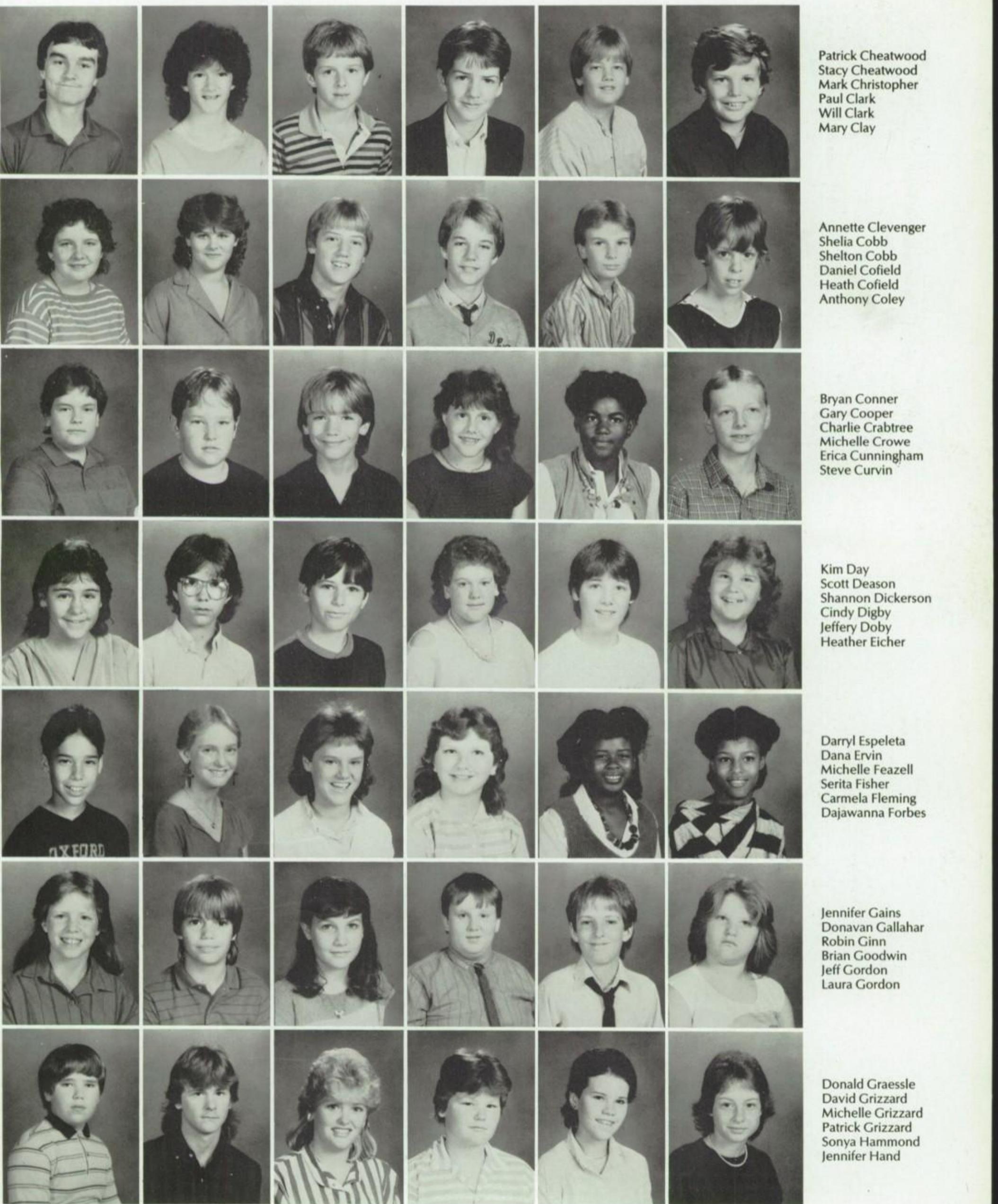


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## Editor's Note

We the 1986 yearbook staff, have tried to present on these pages random scenes, common and unique at Oxford. We can remind you of that smile from that special someone in English, a football victory, or the relief that you felt when you made a perfect paper. We can show you pictures of the people who live, work, and learn here. This is both our goal, and our limit; the rest is up to you.

And what will we remember? We will look back and remember the happy times, feeling the rewards of hard work and dedication. Our existence was one of constant new beginnings and continuous endings that filled our lives and our memories. It was our year, molded by the vast and diverse character of who we were and had become.

Some very special thanks goes to my "wild and crazy" staff whose antics kept me laughing all year long. You really came through when I needed you. Thanks for all the hard work guys — you're the best! I'd also like to thank Mrs. Nelson for being so dedicated and keeping us on our toes. We couldn't have done it without you. To Mr. Higgins for his cooperation throughout the year; To Jim Robbins and Taylor Publishing, for the production of the book. And a special thanks goes to the student body. You are what this book is about. I take pride in dedicating the 1986 Yellow Jacket to each member of the student body.

From the Staff and Myself . . .  
THIS ONE'S FOR YOU!



*This one's for you!*

Fashion in '86 ranged from the unique to the bizarre...

**Jams** — Wild prints and colors covered many legs during the summers of '85 and '86.

**Coca-Cola** — The "Real Thing" has become the "fashionable thing" as you see displayed on shirts and pants.

**Swatches** Wild and crazy designs. These were the first in a line of creative time pieces.

**Shoes** — Shoes ranged from high-top tennis shoes to high-top boots. Dexters were a popular style and Reebok tennis shoes were also frequently seen.

**Miami Vice** — This trend setting style is pleasing to the eye. You saw many young men at OHS dressing in bright colored jackets and no socks strutting around the halls.

**Sunglasses** — Mirrored lenses, Wayfarers, and horn rims are some of the eye-catching shades you saw around.

**Tank tops** — Showing of muscles and tans was a good reason for wearing these shirts. Tanks in bright colors worn under or by themselves was a sharp style in '86.

**Hair styles** — prim and proper or strange and outrageous. Bobs, perms, and tails were some of the styles this year. Bleaching hair in sections of all of your hair also struck a few people's fancy.

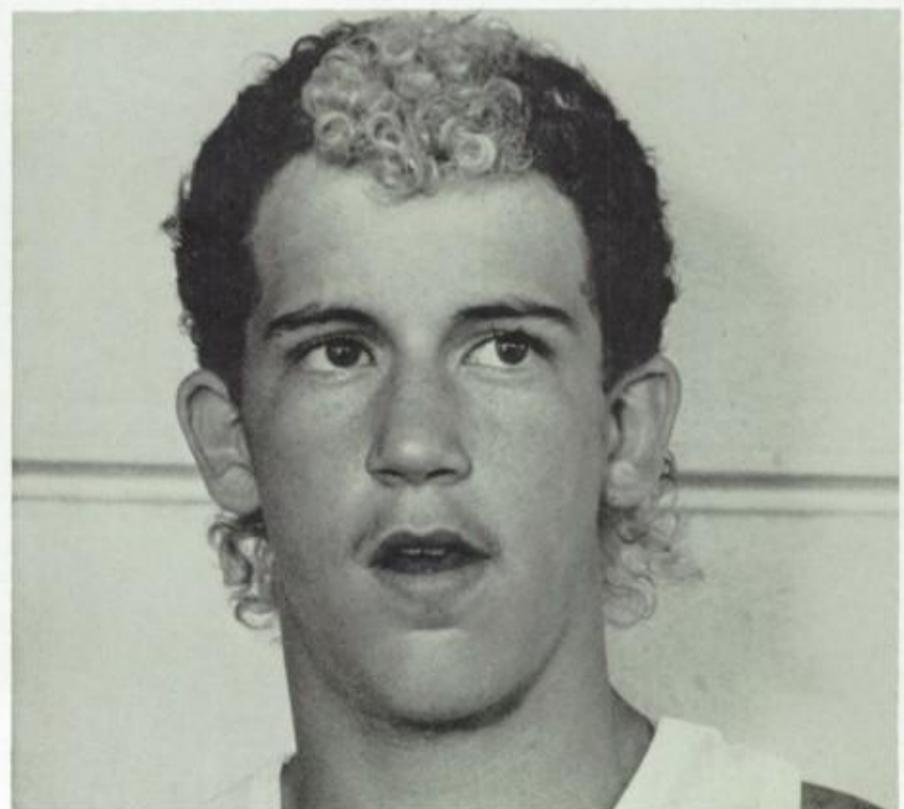
As you can tell '86 was a year for individuality. Students did not follow fads. They dressed for themselves.

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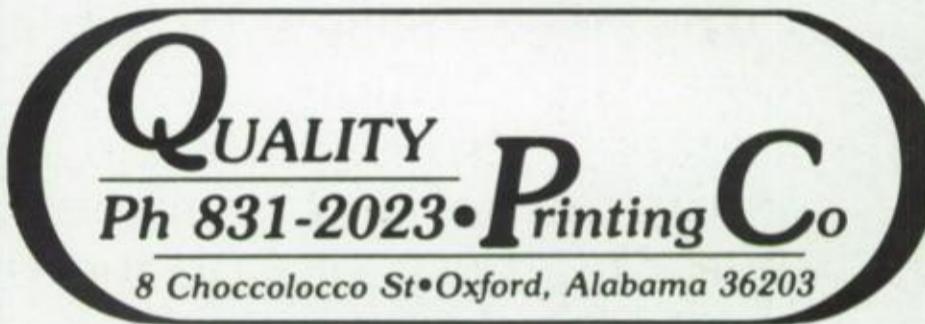
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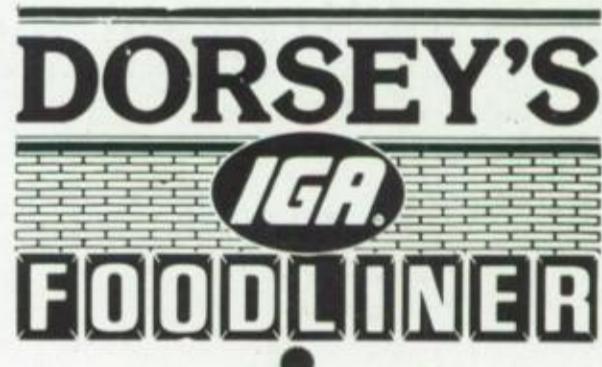


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"STRUT  
YOUR  
STUFF!"

Roll Tide!  
(Sorry, I had to  
put it)

Scott Bates

Sophomores

86!

Class of '89  
#1

Cindy,  
I'll never forget six long  
On summer seems like a long  
time we spent with you. I'll always  
remember the good times we shared.  
I hope everything goes smooth at  
Auburn. Who knows, you may see me  
there (God forbid) I'm not playing  
me when I'm gone; you're in my thoughts.  
Don't forget

# AUTOGRAPHS

Cindy,  
To one of the greatest people I  
know, you're so nice and sweet.  
You really pick me up when I see  
you always having a good time.  
Thanks for all the support you've  
given me and the football team.  
Stay like you are and you'll go  
far in life.

P. C.  
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Cindy,

Well, where do I begin? We're seniors! We finally made it. Ever since you moved here we've been the best of friends and I hope it stays that way. I'll never forget all the fun times we shared in Band. I'll also never forget our song, "The 12 Days of Christmas" or whatever it was. I hope after we graduate you won't forget me. But you were always better than me. Ha! Ha!

I hope you get everything you want and deserve out of life. You've always been a great friend and you keep me laughing all the time. I hope you do good at Auburn and maybe one day I'll watch you on T.V. Well I gotta go. I just want you to know I love ya and I always will.

Stay Sweet!

Lameya,  
Nasty

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Seniors  
#1

"C." ya  
in  
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Cindy, Thanks for being such a friend over the past few years. I like your personalty really grown day by day. Auburn (WAR EAGLE) you come to the next football game, I know I'll like to go out with guys you miss you, and me will keep up. Anyway, I know you gonna be touch again. Good Luck! Done always

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Cindy,  
Well! What can I say! We are leaving and well, we're departing soon! I am so glad that we became such good friends. At all we began in the 9th grade. Mrs. Glendon's class. Remember when you first came here. You were so afraid to tell me what you were thinking. You kept telling me that you were paranoid. And you were because everyone hated you! I kept telling you that you were more. A lot of that has to do with your crazy look at all the friends you have now. A lot of our good times like when we went to church with my church 1st. we almost drown and try to swim in to white water and you really almost drowned in the tube falls. @ your stop you drop your 4 foot dug water suit falls off & we got attacked by killer bees. Remember on your birthday we met someone who proposed to you! Remember when we spent the night and got ready for cook days at school! Jane almost used food! But the good thing was we had some GREAT times, when we went all over Ann Arbor, all of the hot spots! We have had some GREAT times, when we went to the police station and couldn't find it all of the little ways. Well, we'll always be looking for that little ways! Spent the whole time! Spent the night outside us the whole time and will cherish them forever! After graduation and it was night outside us the whole time and will have many more good times. If ever you need remember all of our good times and we'll have many more good times. If ever you need us always be there for you! Be good & stay sweet!  
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Bravo!

Linday,

Hey girl! Well I finally get around to writing your annual. We have been through a lot together. You were always there to listen to my problems and I hope you thought you get everything out of life you deserve, because that's what you are as hard worker. You always work for what you want. Be good Cindy! Always stay the way you are!  
Love ya,  
Shelly

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